THE WEATHER

Fair and somewhat colder tonight; Saturday fair; moderate variable winds.
Sun rises 6:20, sets 5:34.
Moon rises, 9.35 p. m.
High tide, 1:15 a. m., 1:43 p. m.
Temperatures till noon: Maximum 36, at noon, minimum 32 at 3 a. m., average 35.
Light all vehicles at 6:03 p. m.

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GERMANS RENEW RUSSIAN DRIVE

AMERICAN GUNS STOP GERMAN RAID

26th Division, Including "Boston's Own" Regiment, in Battle

By HENRY G. WALES,
Staff Correspondent of the International News Service.

With the American Army in France, March 1.—Americans in the Chemin des Dames sector repulsed with losses to the enemy 100 German raiders.

Despite the enemy's preliminary bombardment and the barrage that followed, the Americans manned their machine guns and their batteries quickly responded to the barrage signal with a wall of fire.

The Germans did not penetrate our lines and inflicted no casualties on our men.

(The American forces in the Chemin Des Dames sector include the 26th division which is composed of New England National Guardsmen, among them the old Ninth Regiment of Boston, now the 101st. In the following dispatch by the same correspondent the sector is not given.)

The Americans have carried out the most intense bombardment yet attempted, throwing medium and heavy shells against a place where aeroplane photographs revealed some German gas projectors.

The American guns are also sprayed other points with high explosives, seeking other gas outfits.

It was the most concentrated firing the American gun layers have done so far and the troops enjoyed the performance keenly.

More gas cases have developed because the American soldiers have

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NEW RESTRICTIONS ON PASSPORTS TO JAPAN

Washington, March 1.—All Americans going to Japan must have their passports vised by Japanese diplomatic or consular agents in this country, the State Department announced today.

REDMOND RECOVERING AFTER AN OPERATION

London, March 1.—John E. Redmond, the noted Irish leader, has just submitted to a serious operation. It was announced here today. The patient was said to be making satisfactory progress.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $45,129,-759.

Boston sub-treasury credit, $106,863.

New York bank clearings, $688,-677,926.

New York sub-treasury debit, $4,633,400.

DANGER FROM EXPOSURE Avoided if you keep strong by taking Father John's Medicine.—Advt.

FIRST PICTURE OF U. S. FIGHTERS ON WAY TO FIRING LINE IN FRANCE

Photo copyright by Underwood & Underwood, New York.

Here is the first picture that has reached the United States showing the "Liberty Lads" from America on their way to front line trenches of the Lorraine sector in France. The sturdy soldiers of Pershing's command are shown in marching order, many wearing their steel helmets, keeping step with officers in the lead.

BOLSHEVIKI CALL FOR 'HOLY WAR' ON INVADERS

By International News Service

Copenhagen, March 1.—German forces south of Petrograd have renewed their attacks, and advices from the Russian capital today told of fighting around Orsha.

Apparently the Germans in the Orsha sector have been reinforced, but Petrograd reported that the assaults there were repulsed.

Orsha is slightly more than 300 miles south of Petrograd.

The Russians continue their preparations for the defence of Petrograd and Moscow, while some of the Bolshevik leaders have renewed their demands for a "holy war" against the invaders.

CONFER ON PLAN TO HALT PHONE GIRLS' STRIKE

Company and Operators Represented at Peace Conference of the State Board

An important conference was held today at the State House in an effort to prevent a strike of telephone operators in nearly a score of New England cities and towns outside of Boston.

The operators have already taken their strike vote, and indications today were that the vote favored a strike unless the demands were granted. However, no official announcement of the vote results will be made until tomorrow afternoon.

Today's conference was held before the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, and representatives of

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ASK HIGHER RATES ON ASIATIC EXPORTS

Washington, March 1.—Permission to file increased rates on many articles shipped from New England points to the Pacific coast for export to Asiatic ports was requested today of the Interstate Commerce Commission by railways operating between these points. The increase is desired to harmonize with the recently raised rates from Pittsburgh and Chicago to the Pacific coast. The list of articles that would be affected includes automobiles, boots and shoes, cotton piece goods, drugs and medicines, leather, machinery, paper and iron and steel articles.

BLIND STOREKEEPER IS HELD UP AND ROBBED

John Vernon, fifty, a blind man who conducts a small tobacco store at No. 1197 River street, Hyde Park, was held up in his store by a man who leaped over the counter and took $5 in cash from the till. Vernon told the police that from what the robber said he must have had a pistol in his hand at the time of the robbery.

When Vernon was threatened by the thief he groped his way to the rear of the store and remained there until the intruder had fled. There was only $5 in the cash drawer at the time and the robber took it all.

McCall Denounces 'L' Service; Urges Fare Increase

Governor McCall today sent a special message to the Legislature recommending that the Boston Elevated be granted an increase in fares "during the continuance of the war and one year thereafter."

Governor McCall recommended that the contract by which the Elevated, in return for use of the Boston streets and subways, agreed with the people not to increase its fares above the five-cent rate for a period of twenty-five years, be broken by legislative action. The contract has five years to run.

The grant to the employes of their wage increase of two cents an hour, following the strike threat, is the principal reason assigned by the Governor for urging the fares increase.

But the wretched service now given by the Elevated to its disgusted patrons was another primary reason assigned by the Governor.

Governor McCall attacked the service in these words:

"There is a condition of things in the subway stations and upon the cars at certain hours of the day, to which human beings should not be subjected, and which is little if at all less than dangerous to life."

NOT THE REAL REMEDY.

Raising fares on the Elevated will not have anything but a slight and temporary effect on the financial status of the road, according to one prominent transportation expert at the State House.

"Permitting the Elevated to charge six cents for fares," he said, "will not do much, if any good. It may help things along a little bit for a little while, but that will be all. It is

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LELAND STANFORD BASE HOSPITAL IN WAR ZONE

Washington, March 1.—A navy base hospital corps, made up principally of physicians, nurses and enlisted personnel enrolled in the naval reserve force from Leland Stanford University, California, has reached the war zone, Secretary Daniels announced.

The hospital, which will have a capacity of 500 beds, the statement adds, will take care of navy personnel both ashore and afloat, and also will be available, if accommodations exist, for army and allied sick and wounded.

DOWE LEAVES ALL TO WOMAN IN LOVE SUIT

Mrs. Burtch, Whose Husband Sued for Alienation, Sole Legatee in Suicide's Will

All the property of Henry S. Dowe, a Brookline real estate man, is left to Mrs. Clara Smith Burtch of Heaton by the terms of his will filed in Norfolk Probate Court at Dedham today, except for a few hundred dollars for the care of his burial lot. Dowe committed suicide in Brookline on February 19 by shooting himself in the head.

Four days before he died he affirmed the will, making Mrs. Burtch practically the sole legatee.

A suit for $25,000, alleging alienation of the affections of Mrs. Burtch, was brought against Dowe in Suffolk County by her husband, Edward Burtch of Cedar street, South Boston, a cigar maker. The case was almost on the point of being reached when Dowe took his own life. An offer of settlement for $5,000 by Dowe was rejected by Burtch's counsel, it is understood, a short time ago.

In April of last year a verdict was obtained against Dowe for $5,000 by Mrs. Anna M. O'Connor, whose husband, Thomas, was run over and killed by Dowe's automobile.

DROP GERMAN BOOKS IN EW YORK SCHOOLS

New York, March 1.—All German textbooks have been dropped from use in the high schools of New York, orders to this effect were issued here today by Acting Superintendent of Schools Dr. Gustave Straubenmuller.

JURY SUSTAINS DEATHBED WILL OF DI COLA

Sister of "Lemon King," Who Was Slain, Fails to Break Instrument

After fifty minutes' deliberation, a jury in the civil session of the Norfolk Superior Court at Dedham, today sustained the will of Gaspare Di Cola, former Boston "Lemon King."

The will, which was contested by a sister of the dead merchant, disposed of an estate valued at $255,000. This property was left to Guiseppe Di Cola, a brother, wit te exceptionn of $2,200 in Italian government bonds, personal jewelry and $100 a month to the woman who was known as the fruit dealer's wife.

The jurors had three questions to answer. They decided that the instrument offered was the will of Di Cola, that he was of sound mind and memory at the time of its execution, and that fraud or undue influence was not used by Antonina Di Cola, Antonio G. Tomasello, Joseph A. Thomasello, Antonio Marcatti and Wayland F. Dorothy.

Gaspare Di Cola was shot on the night of September 26, 1917, while returning from Tremont Temple with Antoinette Re, who for many years had been known as his wife. The couple were walking along Fairbanks street, Brookline, when the fatal shot was fired from one one in ambush.

Di Cola made his will at the hospital, using a mark instead of his signature because of inability to use his right hand. To this mark there were three witnesses: Antonio G. Thomasello, his son Joseph Tomasello and Antonino Marchetti.

After the will was probated Antoinetta Di Cola, sister of the deceased, arrived from Italy and contested it.

HOUSE SENDS RAILROAD BILL TO CONFERENCE

Washington, March 1.—The House today sent the administration railway bill to conference, naming as the conferees Chairman Sims of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee and Representatives Dorsmus and Esch.

British Penetrate German Lines 1,200 Yards

By International News Service.

London, March 1. — British forces in the Houthoulst forest sector of the West Flanders front delivered a strong attack against the Germans during the night, penetrating the German positions to a depth of 1,200 yards, the War Office announced today.

The attack was delivered along the southern fringe of the forest where it skirts the Ypres-Staden railway.

Near Gonnilieu, on the Cambrai front, British raiders entered a German trench, inflicting severe losses.

President and Lansing Confer on Russian Crisis

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, March 1.—Secretary of State Lansing conferred again today with President Wilson. It was understood that the Russian situation and the suggested military developments in connection with it were under discussion.

No word whatever as to what decision, if any, was reached, was forthcoming. However, the fact that the Secretary talked with the President alone prior to the regular cabinet meeting was admittedly of great significance.

Meanwhile officials generally seemed agreed that the big question now under consideration in connection with the pending international developments was whether the United States should actively participate in any military demonstration which Japan may institute in Siberia.

PARTICIPATION FAVORED.

Most officials are enthusiastically in favor of such a course. They point out that the United States now has in the Philippines a formidable force of regular troops and marines, whose places could be taken, if they were summoned into active service elsewhere by the Philippine National Guard and the regiments of native Filipinos, which have been organized and offered to the United States for service in France.

Then there are troops available at other places as well as on the Pacific Coast that could be drawn on.

China has an army of 80,000 men who have been guarding the Manchuria railway for some time past, who also would be available for an international expedition to prevent the war supplies now in Siberia falling into the hands of the Germans and to aid the Russian forces that now are actively opposing complete domination of Russia by Germany.

GERMAN PROPAGANDA.

Washington has assumed that America has been asked to co-operate with Japan so that all operations shall present a distinct international flavor.

The situation presents some very intricate and dangerous international problems. Germany has carried on a most insidious propaganda among the neutrals, especially in Norway, Swe-

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Both China and Japan Reported Planning to Send Troops to Siberia

London, March 1.—Both China and Japan may send troops into Siberia, to prevent any German coup in the Far East, according to a Shanghai dispatch in the Morning Post today. According to this dispatch, Chinese newspapers predict that China and Japan will co-operate, and that China will send about four divisions of troops.

FIVE INJURED IN WRECK ON THE 'MONON' ROAD

Lafayette, Ind., March 1.—Five persons were injured, none seriously, when a Monon passenger train, running between Chicago and Louisville, jumped the track at Brookston, twenty miles from here, early today. A failing brake beam was said to have been the cause.

Gen. March, New Chief of Staff Arrives; Raps Censorship

By International News Service.

An Atlantic Port, March 1.—Severe arraignment of the present system of censorship in vogue in the United States was voiced by Major-General Peyton C. March, newly appointed chief of staff of the United States Army, who arrived here today from France. General March has visited the various trenches on the western front and was enthusiastic in his praise of the American forces.

"Hut," said General March, "I am going to see that the American people receive more and better information regarding the movements of their troops and their successes and failures. I think the conditions surrounding this 'muzzling' censorship are lamentable. The American officers in France; in fact, all the officers abroad, are unable to understand it.

"There will be some heavy American losses over there—there is no doubt about that. But the American people should know about these, too, as it will make them fight harder here at home and make them more determined to win.

"I knew of no gentle method of conducting a war of this magnitude. No army can expect to go into it and escape scot free. As soon as I get to Washington I will immediately take up this censorship question. I hope soon to accomplish some results that will be interesting.

"The health of the American troops in France is splendid. There is less illness and better morale than there was at the Mexican border. Every one of our boys appears to be happy and contented. Do not fear that America will not give a good account of herself.

"Our boys are well trained, well paid, well fed, well clothed and well read in the history of the past three years in northern France. And they are not going to overlook any bets. The troops on the line now are so well trained in modern warfare that they can handle themselves with entire credit to the United States."

CHINA AND JAPAN MAY CO-OPERATE IN THE DEFENCE OF SIBERIA

WASHINGTON EXPECTS EARLY EXTENSION OF U. S. WAR AIMS TO THE FAR EAST

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den and Denmark, designed to show that Japan has had envious eyes on Siberia and that she has planned to seize this rich prize under cover of war necessity.

It is known that this doctrine also has been spread among the Russians themselves, especially among the anti-Bolshevik element. Because of this it has been felt that if Japan was forced to act alone in any war movements that are undertaken it might have a serious moral effect on the allied cause.

LOOK TO MORAL EFFECT.

Great Britain and France can spare no troops to act with the Japanese. The United States, of course, could, although naturally this nation could not put into the field an army that would be as large as that of the Japanese. But the moral effect of the Stars and Stripes and the Golden Sun of Japan floating side by side in an expedition which avowedly had for its object the salvation of the invaded territory for the actual inhabitants of that territory would be tremendous, officials pointed out today.

It is because of this feeling that Washington, and apparently the nation at large, today was awaiting a new statement from President Wilson. Congressional leaders were expectant that a joint session would be asked for and were ready to call it at an hour's notice. As was exclusively pointed out in International News Service dispatches, the President has not abandoned Russia to her fate.

TO FIGHT TO LAST MAN.

On the contrary, he believes that this giant new republic yet will be saved to take her place in the general concert of nations which are ruled by democracy. His next announcement of position when it comes will show to the Russians themselves that they cannot accept German autocracy even as a relief from the horrors of anarchy which had prevailed throughout the nation since the downfall of Kerensky.

It will be made very plain to Germany and Russia alike, officials who know the inside facts of the situation say, that the United States will continue to fight to her last man, her last gun and her last dollar that "the world shall be made safe and safe to live in, and particularly that it be made safe for every peace-loving nation which, like our own, wishes to live its own life, determine its own institutions, be assured of justice and fair dealing by the other people of the world as against force and selfish aggression."

This latter declaration, taken from the President's address to Congress delivered on January 8 last, was declared by administration chiefs today to sum up the attitude of the United States towards Germany's latest and greatest assault on democracy.

Ambassador Francis Goes to Vologda, 300 Miles East of Petrograd

By International News Service.

Washington, March 1.—Ambassador Francis, Consul Treadwell, the United States Military Mission and American Red Cross representatives left Petrograd for Vologda on the Moscow Railroad on the night of February 27, according to a dispatch received today from Edward S. Sisson, representative of the Committee on Public Information in Petrograd. Vologda is 300 miles east of Petrograd.

The dispatch adds that representatives of the committee will remain in Petrograd to carry on the educational and information work with which it was charged. Latest reports show that the circulation of the President's message of January 8 has practically been completed and that four million copies have been distributed.

This including separate printing and distribution at Tiflis, Vladivostok, Odessa, Rostov, Omsk and Chita, but does not include 1,500,000 newspaper circulation and an incalculable amount of partial printing and editorial comment on the message closely followed.

In addition 1,500,000 copies were printed in the German language and sent through the northern lines of the German army for circulation in the empire. More than 200,000 copies were successfully worked through the south and central fronts and the message also had full circulation among the German and Austrian prisoners in Russia.

AWAIT NEWS OF BOSTON WOMAN IN PETROGRAD

Mrs. J. Butler Wright, wife of legal representative of the U. S. embassy in Petrograd. Before marriage she was Miss Harriet Southerland, daughter of Rear-Admiral W. H. H. Southerland.

Relatives and friends in Boston are awaiting word from Mrs. J. Butler Wright, wife of the legal representative of the United States Embassy at Petrograd, and the only Bostonian connected with the American official family there.

Before her marriage Mrs. Wright was Miss Harriet Southerland, daughter of Rear-Admiral W. H. H. Southerland, whose present home is in Washington.

For several years Mrs. Wright has been prominent in the younger social circles of the summer colony at Nahant, where she has a summer home. Friends there have had no word from her for some time.

STRIKE ON 'L' AVERTED; MEN GET RAISE

Employes Granted Increase of Two Cents an Hour; To Get More on May 1

Through the efforts of Henry B. Endicott, executive manager of the Massachusetts Public Safety Committee, members of the Boston Carmen's Union today begin receiving their "substantial increase in wages" of 2 cents an hour from the Boston Elevated road. The concessions made to the men mean that the threatened strike scheduled for today has been called off.

The men are now receiving a maximum of 34¾ cents an hour under their present agreement, which runs to May 1, 1919. The increase of two cents an hour brings their maximum up to 36¾ cents an hour, which will be advanced ¾ of a cent on May 1 under the present agreement, giving them on and after May 1 a maximum of 37½ cents an hour.

It was also announced by International President Mahon, of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America, that the union was going to fight against women conductors as long as it was absolutely necessary.

The meeting at which the carmen voted to accept the offer of the Elevated road officials was held in Tremont Temple, which was packed to the doors with uniformed men. A large contingent of women members of the union occupied seats near the platform. Thirty-two policemen in civilian dress were scattered about the hall and in the balconies. They stood near the doors in the corridors. They were present, it was stated, by "guard Governor McCall and preserve order."

SING PATRIOTIC AIRS.

Pictures of the "big men of the nation," union officials, local celebrities and others, were shown on a screen, all of which had a tendency to put the carmen in good humor. An organist played patriotic airs, in which the men joined in singing. There was an outburst of applause when a service flag of the Carmen's Union with 750 stars was shown.

Some minutes later President Matthew J. Higgins appeared on the platform, followed by International Presidents William D. Mahon of Detroit, John H. Reardon, who has been handling the situation in the interests of the international organization, Governor Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts, Henry B. Endicott of the Massachusetts Public Safety Committee, John F. Stevens of Duxbury, representing the Boston Central Labor Union and the Massachusetts Public Safety Committee; James H. Vahey, counsel for the Carmen's Union; Thomas F. Shine of Malden, another international officer, and members of the executive committee of the local union.

OVATION FOR HIGGINS.

When President Higgins stepped forward to speak he was given an ovation. He spoke briefly of the work he and the other officials had to do since the special meeting was called last week, how conferences were held night and day and of the patience they had to exert in the face of all the hardships imposed upon them by turbulent members at the last stormy session in the Temple.

He paid a glowing tribute to Henry B. Endicott of the Massachusetts Public Safety Committee, and eulogized International President Mahon and his assistant, John H. Reardon.

BANKER PINKSOHN NOW IN COSMOPOLITAN TRUST

Richard Pinksohn, for the last 3 years a prominent figure in banking circles, has been elected Vice President of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company Mr. Pinksohn's last position was with the United States Trust Company, with which he was connected since the bank started, serving as actuary for a number of years. Prior to connecting himself with the United States Trust Company, Mr. Pinksohn was affiliated with the Mt. Vernon National Bank of Boston.

Mr. Pinksohn will leave Sunday for Atlantic City, to remain for ten days, and on April 1 will take up his duties with the Cosmopolitan Trust Company.

GOVERNOR OF MAINE TO ADDRESS AUTO MEN

Eastport, Me., March 1.—Governor Carl E. Milliken has accepted the invitation of the Eastport Automobile Association to deliver the principal address at the annual Good Roads banquet to be held here on the evening of March 15. This will be the Governor's first visit here since his election.

The War in Europe

By ANTHONY ARNOUX,
Famous Writer on Military Topics.

Very interesting in some of their details, but extremely fantastic in others, are the reports coming to us from several credible quarters to the effect that Japan contemplates a very considerable enlargement of her active participation in the war.

The statement that Japan, with or without the co-operation of some of her allies, will shortly send troops to Vladivostok to seize the immense accumulation of military supplies and stores of all kinds which have piled up at that point, is most likely true.

Not only would such a course prevent these stores falling into the hands of those, not necessarily the Germans, hostile to the allies, but also would permit them being retransported to points at which the allies could make actual use of them, and thus would be a decided gain from two standpoints.

STATEMENT SEEMS WEIRD.

But that such action by Japan would have any effect on the movement of the Teutonic armies four thousand miles away seems almost as weird as the other statement, that one established in Vladivostok, Japan could use this town as a base from which to send an army, variously computed at one, two and even three million, to fight on the Russian front.

One railroad, double tracked part only runs from Vladivostok to the Ural Mountains, 3000 miles roughly to the westward. Even if we suppose that the coming of the Japanese troops would be totally unopposed, the difficulties in moving, even 1,000,000 men with such transportation facilities such a distance, would be enormous, throwing the question of transporting their equipment and artillery out altogether. Yet one writer in an important paper solemnly states that this gigantic task could be done in time to stop any drive by the Germans on the western front this spring!

The German advance into northern Russia has apparently halted at about the line, at which it was suggested a few days ago that it would. The theory that the objective of this movement was Petrograd always seemed an erroneous one because the Germans could not fix the city, at the present time, would bring the Teutons no advantage from a military standpoint compensatory of the effort. In the Ukraine, however, the Teutons and the Ukrainians continue to move to the east, and probably will not halt their advance until Kieff is in their hands.

LESS ACTIVITY IN WEST.

The western front was less active yesterday than the day before and on the Italian front the fighting was merely of a routine character. For the first time in some days a bulletin from the Macedonian front reached us, though its contents were unimportant.

The sinkings of British vessels by submarines rose slightly above the past week. The total sunk in the week February 25, 1918, to February 24, 1918, was officially announced by the admiralty as 150. To obtain the gross loss for the year, vessels sunk by raiders and those which fell victims to the ordinary risks and perils of the sea, must be added. Curiously enough, in practically all the computations of lost tonnage which have so far appeared, the last item is completely omitted, and yet these losses appear in Lloyds' reports regularly.

NEW BEDFORD SOLDIERS WIN BIG GUN DUEL

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been working up to the scene of the gas attack too soon.

SIX MORE DEAD.

Over four score men have been sent to hospitals. Six men are dead and another is dying.

The number of casualties resulting from the seventy-five gas cylinders sent over by the Germans is an infallible testimonial to the courage of the Americans, as the men lined the firing step of the trenches with their rifles with bayonets fixed in their hands and adjusting their masks, ready to repel a possible infantry attack instead of remaining in security from the gas which might be found in their dugouts.

Two men were killed and four others wounded when a shell struck an empty ammunition wagon at "Dead Man's Corner,' as a certain turn in a road is called.

The horses were scared and ran away, blocking the ammunition train when the projectile struck. The drivers of the other wagons and their helpers calmly quieted the horses and summoned the ambulances.

ONE KILLED, FOUR HURT.

The Germans strafed a certain place ineffectively, but a single stray shell killed one man and wounded four and a sub-officer.

The telephone operator at a switchboard under ground in the gassed sector was dug out fifteen hours after the shelter was buried under debris thrown up by the enemy's big guns.

The entrance and stairway of the shelter were choked, but the operator sent messages, continually wearing his gas mask for a long time, fearing the gas fumes might find their way into his refuge.

Except for the patrol encounters, the night on the sector is uneventful, although the German work parties have repaired the gaps in their barbed wire created by the American guns. They worked feverishly and often were dispersed by the American machine gun fire. The enemy tries to keep the outer strands of the wire intact, as they are charged with electricity.

Two men have been accidentally wounded.

FILENE GIRLS TO GIVE MINSTREL SHOW AT PIER

The Girls' Club of the Filene Co-operative Association will visit Commonwealth Pier tonight and present their musical show for the benefit of the sailors.

There are more than forty girls in the show, including a pony ballet, and men and chorus. It was conceived, written, staged and produced entirely by girls, and several success ful performances have been given. Later it is to be taken to Camp Devens.

The Misses Nora Callahan, Helen Burke, Katherine Feeley and Margaret Wholley are responsible for the show, which has already turned over $400 into war relief work.

BOSTON GREETS 100 JEWISH RECRUITS

Governor and Mayor Address Unit of Guards Going to Palestine

Speeches of congratulation and God-speed from Mayor Andrew J. Peters and Governor Samuel W. McCall today marked the reception Boston accorded the first company of Jewish recruits enlisted to garrison Palestine and who passed through Boston on their way to Canada.

From the moment when the Jewish recruits, more than a hundred strong, arrived at the South Station until their departure, they were cheered and feted by hundreds of Boston Jews.

Addressing the contingent and their Boston friends from the State House steps, Governor McCall said:

"It is a distinction to be the first Jewish battalion to volunteer its services in this war of freedom and humanity. It is the historic appeal of the service which you are to make which impresses me.

NOT U. S. CITIZENS.

"Although you are not United States citizens, by your service in Palestine, side by side with your British brothers, you will also be fighting for the United States. Your service must touch the hearts of all the people in the world who look to Palestine for their religious inspiration.

"We trust you will help to win back Palestine, so that it will no longer be oppressed and trampled under foot among the nations, and in your desire and sacrifice this nation is with you.

"May God spare you to the everlasting service of your ideals."

Mayor Peters stood in front of City Hall and greeted the company as follows:

MAYOR'S WELCOME.

"You have the enthusiastic support and confidence of all the people of Boston. You are sacrificing for the highest ideals of which humanity can dream. May God bless and preserve and help you on your glorious mission. You can be sure that all our hearts are with you to the uttermost."

Private Joseph L. Cohen responded.

CAMBRIDGE CANTABRIGIA HOLDS MONTHLY SESSION

The first meeting of the month of the Cantabrigia Club of Cambridge was held today at the clubrooms. Mrs. Marinus S. Matthews was chairman of the day. Edwin M. Whitney entertained with the reading of "Turn to the Right."

LOWELL WOMAN CHARGES CRUELTY; ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Blanche Shafer of Lowell has filed a libel for divorce against her husband, Rusby Shafer of Lowell, alleging cruel and abusive treatment and non-support. They were married in 1911.

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

Automatic plan: Everything here must sell quickly at its first price or be marked 25% after 12 selling days, 50% after 18 selling days, 75% after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

Ella E. Conomy fills up her Thrift Stamp Book!

"I've been much interested in the Thrift Stamp idea," says Ella. "It's the easiest way of saving money and the easiest way of helping in the war I have seen.

"I started when they first came out, putting a quarter away whenever I could by buying a stamp. When I had four dollars' worth I exchanged them—by adding 12c—for a five dollar certificate.

"You see, the Thrift Stamp gives you your interest in advance! You have only to wait a short while to cash in. And how fascinating it is to see the squares fill up and realize that your bankroll is growing and your Uncle Sammy smiling at your help in this dreadful war.

"But I never got really going on Thrift Stamps until one day I hit on the plan of putting whatever I saved by trading in Filene's Basement into Thrift Stamps.

"Then I surely got going! It was fun to figure what this thing or that was worth and put the difference into stamps.

"But more than the fun was the genuine joy in realizing I had just as good clothes, just as serviceable things, and the Stamps besides.

"Of course, nobody can get more than $1,000 worth of Thrift Stamps, and believe me, if the war keeps up I'll have my allotment!—thanks to the A. B. C."

Just 25 cleverly trimmed sample hats, $5.85

Clever hats, too, even for $3.95

New hats, plenty of lisere straw, black as well as colored. Becoming pokes, smart sailors and novelty shapes.

$5.85 $3.85

Semi-tailored hats, beautifully made, many of Georgette faced with straw or vice versa. Also dressy models with lisere crowns and transparent net and horsehair brims.

BOYS — GIRLS

Boys' knitted topcoats

Just like dad's! Of all wool knitted materials. All well tailored. Made from short ends of goods, otherwise they would be selling for much more. Sizes 3 to 8. $6.50

Boys' trench coats

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BOSTON WOMEN FROWN ON ANNE MORGAN'S RELIEF FUND PLAN

SEE HARM IN BREAK IN RANKS

Workers Anxious to Keep Fund for French Wounded True to Original Aim

A split in the ranks of the American Fund for French Wounded threatens to divide the organization into two opposing camps, according to New York dispatches. The society includes 500,000 women, among them prominent war workers and society leaders.

One faction, headed by Miss Anne Morgan of New York, treasurer and nominal head of the New York group, wants to convert the "American Fund" organization into a society for civilian relief to assist in rehabilitating stricken France, it is said. Those outside of New York, desire to keep the American Fund for French wounded true to its original purpose of furnishing emergency relief to the French soldiers incapacitated by the war.

The American Fund for French Wounded has been called the "strong right arm of the American Red Cross" and the co-operation between the two organizations has been cordial throughout. Boston women workers in the American fund feel keenly the harm which they claim will attend the dissipation of their forces in case the New York faction follows Miss Anne Morgan out of the fold and into a separate society of her own creating.

FEEL HARM IS BREAK.

That Miss Morgan "did feel that way, but is now understood to be 'cured' of her dereliction" was asserted by a member of the Boston Branch of the American Fund. "The work of civilian relief abroad is so strongly by Miss Morgan can very well wait until after the war," another Boston worker declared.

Miss Edith Bangs of No. 253 Beacon street, chairman of the Boston Branch of the American Fund for French Wounded, appeared mildly indifferent as to the course pursued by Miss Morgan and her New York associates. "If Miss Morgan believes that her work of civilian relief is the more important work of the two, why I am sure there is room for the two organizations," Miss Bangs declared.

"The feeling here, however, is very strong that the object for which we were organized is paramount to all else. The need for emergency assistance furnished by the American fund is still great, indeed, is in fact, that we in New England feel that we ought to give every energy and undivided attention to it."

BOSTON LEADERS AGREE.

"Boston leaders agree with me that the work of the Fund, which was organized three years ago, is more needed today than hitherto, and will be more and more in demand as our American boys get into action.

"In spite of all our efforts we have never at any time proved fully equal to the demand upon us. So it seems to us that we ought to stick to the original work of the American Fund for which there is still abundant need.

"I represent the sentiment of the Boston Branch when I say that we believe it would be more or less of a pity for the organization to divide its none too bountiful resources by a division of labor and aim.

"The work in which Miss Morgan appears to be interested is awfully good work, and we do not want to appear antagonistic to it. There is need of all the work available from whatever source.

"I do not desire to have it intimated that there is any quarrel between our members, for there isn't. We are perfectly willing to let the New York group under Miss Morgan's leadership do their work there while we go ours. There is room enough for both forms of endeavor and both are praiseworthy in the extreme.

"I have known Miss Morgan all my life and we are good friends. With both of us, our respective work is more important than our individual opinions. We all want to put our energies where we believe they will accomplish the greatest results."

CATHOLIC WAR FUND DRIVE IN NEW YORK

New York, March 1.—Plans are announced for the $2,500,000 Catholic war fund drive March 17 to 25. Every Catholic in New York is enlisted. The Knights of Columbus will play a prominent part. There will be a meeting of five thousand team captains at the Hippodrome, March 17.

The archdiocese, which extends from Poughkeepsie to Tottenville, has been divided into districts.

"NEAR BEER" DIGNIFIED IN PRESIDENTIAL BAN

Washington, March 1.—"Near beer," once memorably described as "tasting like near smelling like beer, looking like beer, but lacking the authority," is holding its "head" very high today. The food administrator has placed it on the same plane as its more authoritative cousin, in so far as the provisions of the President's recent proclamation, limiting brewers to 70 per cent of the amounts of grain they were used last year are concerned.

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MISS SLATER IN BRITISH TANK "DRIVE"

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British war tank Britannia and one of its fair passengers in its demonstration in New York. She is Miss Ray Slater, daughter of Mrs. Mabel Hunt Slater of Boston. The picture shows the monster war tank crossing craters on the new courthouse site in New York.

FAVOR FEDERAL OWNERSHIP OF POSTAL TUBES

Commission Calls for Plan for Greater Co-operation and Higher Efficiency

By International News Service.

Washington, March 1.—Government ownership and operation of postal pneumatic tubes throughout the United States was recommended to Congress today by the commission appointed by Congress to investigate the pneumatic tube mail service.

The recommendations of the committee are as follows:

"That pneumatic tubes as now installed for carrying letter mail are necessary for proper postal service and should be continued in the cities of New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago and St. Louis and that extensions are necessary in St. Louis to obtain adequate service.

"That, being an exclusive postal facility, the systems should be owned and operated by the government.

"That a combination of tube and automobile service would be more efficient postal service in large cities.

"That the Postoffice Department should operate tube service with its own employes, thereby insuring greater co-operation and higher efficiency.

"That the purchase of the tube systems extend over a period of years in such a manner that partial payments, together with 4 per cent on unpaid balances, including costs of operation as reported by the commission's engineers, shall not exceed the present annual expenditure of $976,000 for tube service.

"That the purchase price for the systems now in use in the postal service be determined by a reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission which shall fix a physical valuation for each of the systems in the cities of New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago and St. Louis, at a sum not to exceed $4,422,622 for the entire systems.

"In determining this value said commission shall consider the nature and condition of the cities to the properties in each of the cities named."

TO TRY NEW PLAN TO PAY VEGETABLE ALIMONY

Elmsford, N. Y., Mar. 1.—An individual garden for every inmate which will enable abandoned wives to take their alimony in vegetables is provided for in an innovation to be tried this Spring at the new model West Chester County penitentiary. The new penitentiary, which now provides a cow for every convict, will furnish a garden for every inmate to farm. Whatever vegetables are raised will be given to the convict's wife or next of kin.

ATTACKED IN NEW YORK CLAIMS BOSTON GIRL

New York, March 1.—On complaint of Cecilia Sullivan, nineteen, a chorus girl, that she had been attacked, a young man describing himself as Joseph Leary, 35, was held in $2,500 bail by Magistrate Marsh for examination. Miss Sullivan and a friend, Elsie Rhodes, who came with her from Boston, were placed in charge of Miss Rosie McGunde, probation officer of the Domestic Relations Court, to insure their appearance in court as witness.

FLAMES SWEEP EAST BOSTON BUILDING

Loss Estimated at $15,000; Believed to Have Been Caused by Cigarette

Fire believed to have started from a smouldering cigarette in the bowling alley of Timothy Horne, in the building at Nos. 2 and 4 Central square, East Boston, caused a loss estimated at $15,000 and tied up traffic for over an hour today.

When Chief William Riley of the East Boston division responded to a still alarm with an engine and ladder truck, he found the entire second floor of the two-story brick block in flames. The box alarm brought all of the East Boston land apparatus and Fireboat 47 to the scene.

Unable to run a line of hose to the burning building the crew of the fireboat did good work. The fire was confined to the second floor, but hundreds of tons of water poured into the building from a dozen lines of hose did much damage on the lower floors.

Lines of hose across the street cut off the fire apparatus in

STORK AT HOME OF BRIGHTON POLICEMAN

Friends of Reserveman and Mrs. Harry Moran of the Brighton police station are congratulating them on the addition to their family of a seven and one-half pound girl. Mother and daughter are at the Fenway Hospital and are doing well.

U. S. COMMANDEERS ALL PLATINUM FOR WAR USE

Washington, March 1.—All available platinum in the United States has been commandeered by the government, Secretary of War Baker, with the concurrence of Secretary of the Navy Daniels issued the order on February 22.

DENIES LOVING GIRL WHO IS SUING HIM

Providence Market Man Says Waitress Knew He Was Married

Providence, March 1.—Edward Murphy, sixty-one, a College Hill marketman, who is contesting a breach of promise to marry suit brought by Miss Alice Parkinson, a former waitress, told Judge John Doran and a jury in the Superior Court that he first met the young woman while she was a waitress in a near-by restaurant.

Miss Parkinson has asked the court for $25,000 and charges the marketman with breaking his promise to marry her.

In her direct testimony she said Murphy bought her clothes and roomed with her at a Jackson street lodging house. She said she first met Murphy in 1910 when she was a mere girl and he took a fatherly interest in her.

Murphy told a lengthy story, relating how Miss Parkinson "bothered" him at his market and his wife tried to put her out, but she refused to leave the store. He said Miss Parkinson knew he was married at the time and his wife, he said, was in Canada. Later, he said, he employed her as cashier at his market at $12 a week, besides paying her expenses.

"Her bills in department stores amounted to about $700 a year," he said.

"Did you love her?" asked Attorney John J. Murphy, for the prosecution.

"No," said Murphy.

When asked by Attorney Murphy whom he married, the marketman said he married a woman named Laura Barre in Boston several years ago and later married Katia Murphy of Fall River. He said the Fall River wife secured a divorce from him as the result of his relations with the waitress.

EXAMINE 500 DRAFT MEN AT BOARD NO. 24

The physical examination of the 500 men classified by the Exemption Board of Division No. 24, Boston, which includes Hyde Park, section of Roslindale and Mattapan, has been completed. Dr. Ralph O. Dodge, clerk of the board, said that every man that came up for examination showed fine spirit and seemed to be anxious to get to camp.

Give Tobacco to Sammies, Says Gallivan

By International News Service.

Washington, March 1.—Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts introduced a bill directing that rations of tobacco "in various forms" be given to all fighting men.

"Just as necessary," he said, was food, especially to an Irishman."

MAYOR FOSS OF FITCHBURG TO AID IN HEALTH WORK

Fitchburg, March 1.—At the suggestion of Walter Camp of the committee on physical culture work of the National Security League, Mayor Frank H. Foss plans to name a committee in this city to co-operate in the nation-wide campaign to improve the physical condition of the young men. The Mayor will place health officials and physical culture experts on the local committee.

Eight Draftees Die

Fitchburg, March 1.—Eight of the 4143 Fitchburgers registered for the national army have died since registration, June 5, according to records compiled by the exemption board.

SHIP DRUGS BY PARCEL POST IS CLAIM

Is One Way to Get Narcotics to Providence—Hub Persons Customers

Providence, March 1. — The parcel post from Canada is said to be one of the several avenues by which narcotics are shipped into this city to countless drug peddlers, is the charge made by investigators who say drugs are smuggled through Sweden and are handled by a druggist in this city.

The charge that this city is the headquarters for distribution of drugs, credited to District Attorney Pelletier of Boston, did not arouse any particular interest among drug addicts who are credited with having a system which is baffling city and Federal authorities. One man is said to have divulged the information to the effect that he was offered $500 recently to take a trip of several days as a result of which he was to return with an amazing supply of morphine.

It is admitted here that Boston men and women make regular trips to this city where they are supplied with their narcotics.

How to fathom the evident mystery is the problem admitted to be worrying officials.

Reputable physicians say the traffic will never cease as long as the "loose laws" permit unscrupulous practitioners to write "scrips" at random, for which they receive large fees. It is common talk among physicians of unquestioned standing that a cut-rate war is in progress here at this time. Physician known to be writing (within the law) are charged with cutting rates when addicts complain about the fee. Addicts testified during a recent hearing in the Dr. William T. Knoop case before the Supreme Court that Dr. Knoop reduced the price of "scrips" from $2 to $1.50 when the price was objected to. The State Board of Health revoked the license of the doctor after a hearing before the board. The doctor appealed to the Supreme Court, which recently asked for further "authority" on the question. The board officials say the doctor has a right to practice medicin pending the appeal.

Fireman Is Beheaded

Syracuse, March 1.—W. A. McBurney of Buffalo, a fireman on the New York Central Railroad, was decapitated when his engine was sideswiped.

LAMB AND MUTTON NOT FOR MEATLESS DAY USE

Lamb and mutton must not be eaten on meatless days, according to a statement issued by Food Administrator Henry B. Endicott, who says that there had been some mistake among the public in the interpretation of the rules concerning the eating of these meats.

Only in states west of the Mississippi, Illinois and Wisconsin is there any difference in the rules. In Massachusetts, on account of transportation facilities, we are still absolutely restricted to fish, chicken and poultry on meatless days.

Waltham Boy Breveted

Albert N. Kittridge of Waltham, who saw six months service at Verdun as an ambulance driver in the American Ambulance corp, has received a commission as second lieutenant at Columbus, Ohio, where he has been training in aviation.

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INCREASE FUND FOR PALESTINE RESTORATIO

New York, March 1.—With mo than $500,000 subscribed in Americ to the Palestine restoration fund, commission of twenty Jewish leade met here to give final impetus to movement to collect $1,500,000 increa of the million dollars set as the go when the drive began January 1.

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Spring's Fashion Favorites
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Wonderful new achievements in Paris-Bedell suits. The whole array of Paris' own new ideas—properly carried out to suit the American woman's individuality.
Serges—Wool Poplins—Poiret Twills
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Short Peter Pan and Eton coats, skirts rather severe but perfect in line—for the smartest styles Dame Fashion has released for many a year. In smartest Spring shades.

Spring Coats Achieve Tremendous Success
Chic Effects $25 Misses' Models
Semi-sporting models — Town topcoats — dressy coats. Models created for the fashionables at Paris and Palm Beach—that get away from the ordinary.
Spring Velours—Mannish Serges—Wool Poplins
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Plaited backs—Norfolk effects, collars of contrasting silks — novelty ornaments and braid trimmings — buckle and button trimmings. A brilliant gallery.
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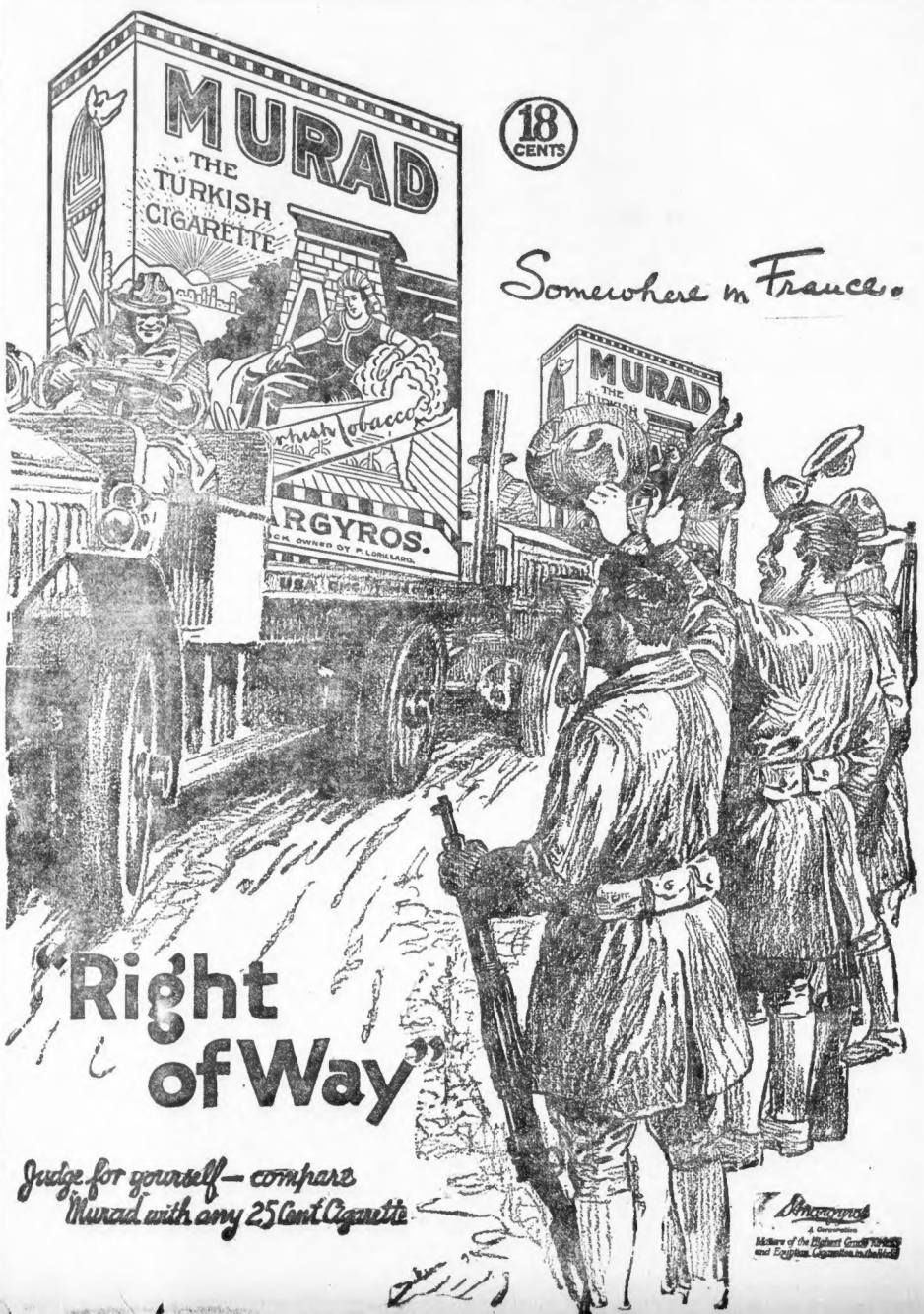

UNITARIANS RAISE FUND FOR ARMY WORK

Unitarians of Greater Boston have raised nearly $11,000 for social and religious work at Camp Devens, Ayer. Mrs. C. T. Gilson is the community worker and gives her time to the young women and soldiers' wives in the town.

Why I Believe in Nuxated Iron

As a Tonic, Strength and Blood Builder

By B. GAUNT, M. D.

Probably no remedy has ever met with such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually are taking it in this country alone. It has been highly endorsed and used by Former United States Senators and Members of Congress; Physicians who have been connected with well-known hospitals have prescribed and recommended it; Monsegneur Nabbil, a prominent clergyman, recommends it to all. Former Health Commissioner Wm. H. Hoyt, of Chicago, says it ought to be used in every hospital and prescribed by every physician.

Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says Nuxated Iron has proven through his own tests of it to equal any preparation he has ever used for creating red blood, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders.

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor dep't.) New York, and the Westchester County Hospital says there are thousands of men and women who need a strength and blood builder but do not know what to take. In his opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for enriching the blood and helping to increase the strength and endurance of men and women who burn up too rapidly their nervous energy in the strenuous strain of the great business competition of the day.

If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test. See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained.

Note—Nuxated Iron, which has been used by physicians in their own families and those of the Profession, and other prominent people with such surprising results, and which is prescribed and recommended above in this article is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers have such confidence in Nuxated Iron before results in every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists.—Advertisement.

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.—Advertisement.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK CROSS, FEVERISH

Hurry, Mother! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver, bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once if bilious or constipated.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

Yes! Everybody Takes Cascarets

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PLAN CAMPAIGN TO SAVE 100,000 BABIES' LIVES

Emphasis Put On Care of Infants by Bay State Suffragists

By ELIZABETH ELLAM.

The saving of 100,000 babies during the coming year is another activity that promises to engage the energies of women who make up the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage Association, and that of similar organizations i nother States. Such is the plan already outlined, and ready to be put into operation April 6.

"If we do not make the fight to save our babies now," says Mrs. B. L. DeNormandie, "when we are reaping the flower of our young manhood to Europe, to dis that the world may be made safe for democracy"—how be will that democracy go to? What will be the use of it all?

"There must be a generation ready to take the places of these that have gone, and to build up a world again, after the battles are but a memory"—thus does Mrs. DeNormandie outline the plan of saving babies, relating it closely to the war service work in which suffragists everywhere are making such a record.

HARD TO MAKE PLAIN.

"This is a point that is just a little hard to make plain to people," continued Mrs. DeNormandie — whose husband, Dr. DeNormandie is already working hard in the cause. "But after the French and England are seen the necessity of saving her babies, and the government is financing the work, in that country. France has also awakened to her responsibilities in this line—and we want to make our beginning now, while we are in the first of it. The plan is in the hands of Miss Julia Lathrop of the Children's Bureau at Washington, and it is with her that we expect to work. We hope, finally that our government will finance the work."

And at my questioning, Mrs. DeNormandie then outlined the steps that would be taken to save the babies during the coming year.

"First—By registration and taking measurements of the babies.

"Second—By proper pre-natal care, as well as care at and following confinement.

"Third — Establishing well babies' clinics.

"Fourth—Guarding the milk supply.

"Fifth — By establishing living wages so that children may be cared for and fed properly.

GOOD REGISTRATION SYSTEM.

"Massachusetts is fortunate in being one of the few States that has an excellent registration system. Practically all births are registered, and it is therefore easier to keep track of the birth and death rate than in many other States, where the records are not nearly as good.

"There are States in which it is almost impossible to know how the death rate stands, so lax are the authorities on registration. But records show that fully 200,000 babies die in this country each year of preventable causes. By our baby-saving campaign we expect to save at least 100,000 of these.

"The establishing of more well-baby clinics, in connection with hospitals, is one way in which we intend to follow up the work. Mothers may bring their babies to such clinics and secure the best advice of doctors and nurses as to how they may be kept well. Proper feeding, proper clothing, and similar subjects will be looked into.

"Pre-natal care will be given at clinics established for the purpose, but we need more of them. Hospitals in rural districts are cooperating with us already, and establishing clinics of this nature, at our suggestion.

CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION.

"Altogether, it must be a campaign of education. There will be thousands of women throughout the State who will know nothing of what it is all about. The foreign mothers will be among the hardest for us to reach, and here we encounter a real difficulty."

And here Mrs. DeNormandie told one of the Italian practice of employing midwives, at a birth, instead of a regular physician—though Massachusetts forbids the practising of midwives, altogether. "The midwife is called in and there is a high death rate among the babies and the mothers as well," she added.

"I believe that it will be possible for us to use the organized suffrage machine in this work to make a house-to-house canvas, distributing information, if that is necessary. The suffrage association has the workers ready and it would be a simple matter to put it into operation."

That the importance of the child conservation is recognized as of national importance is proved by the fact that it is included in the list of committees working with the Public Safety Committee, and is also a subcommittee of the woman's committee of the National Council for Defence. Mrs. DeNormandie, who is chairman of that committee, is also chairman of a similar committee affiliated with the War Service Work of the Woman's Suffrage Association.

FITCHBURG POLICE NIP PLANS OF BOY ROBBERS

Fitchburg, March 1.—Plans for a wholesale robbery of homes in the Cleghorn district by boys have been checked by the police. A gang of youngsters, disguised as soap peddlers, have been calling at houses and after talking business with housewives the lads deftly pulled dozens of keys out of the front doors on the other side. Later when the occupants of the houses were shopping the boys planned to make their raids, according to what one who confessed told the police.

DEDHAM ASKS FOR NEW MOTOR FIRE APPARATUS

Among the many articles in the town warrant to be acted upon by the voters of Dedham at its town meeting, is one for a new piece of motor apparatus for the fire department. There has been installed recently a fire motor in the Central Firehouse and another excellent work accomplished by it, many of the citizens are desirous of adding another motor truck to the department. The question of whether or not the town should build a new police station to replace the present one will also be acted upon.

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The first important spring war-fashion in DRESSES

CHANGES for the new season are noticeably simple and practical. Numbers of new dresses have taken on the outlines and some of the advantages of suits and coats. It takes a quick eye to tell the new Eton dresses from Eton suits. The war has brought rows of braid and limited yardage. The cream of the new fashions in dresses have been developed in practical serge, tricotine and afternoon silks. Filene values are entirely in new dresses.

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WOMEN'S DRESSES——MISSES' DRESSES

WOMEN

Women's tailormade street dresses, $55 and $75

The two sketched above were made by suit tailors. The tricotine dress on the left is $75. The dress on the right is fine serge, $55. (Sixth floor.)

WOMEN

Women's SERGE "suit dresses" $13.50 and $16.50

The braid-bound dress sketched above on the right looks exactly like a suit, $16.50.

The militarily braid trimmed serge dress sketched on the left is $13.50. (Sixth floor.)

WOMEN

Women's all-Georgette and all-charmeuse dresses, $12.50

The tunic dress sketched above on the right is charmeuse, $12.50.

A very adaptable all-Georgette dress is sketched above on the left. Pale and dark colors, $12.50. (Sixth floor.)

MISSES

Misses' serge "coat dresses," $12.50

Fine French navy blue serge, bound with black silk braid. The dress opens up like a coat.

Misses' new shirred taffeta dresses, $12.50.

Filene's—fourth floor—mail orders filled.

MISSES

Misses' new taffeta dresses, at $15, $18.50 and $25

"LUCY"—sketched above on the left. Blue taffeta frock with cerise. Collar and cuffs are organdie, $18.50.

"ETON"—sketched above on the right. A taffeta frock with buttoned back hem, $25. (Fourth floor.)

SUITS *a day's wear now is worth a week's wear later*

Launching the new fashions is half the fun. Filene values leave no excuse for waiting to buy. Two typical Filene values in women's and misses' suits are sketched.

$29.50 $35

WOMEN'S jersey suits, $25 to $45

One is sketched, at $29.50. Beginning at $25, the suits are hand-tailored worsted jersey, the quality that keeps its shape. Khaki, Pekin, navy blue, purple, taupe, beige, heather, oxford and green.

Women's tweed suits, $29.50 and more; Poiret twill and serge suits, with colored linen waistcoats, $35; tricotines, $35 and more. Others, $20 to $95. (Fifth floor.)

MISSES' Poiret twill suits, $35

One of those becoming surplice styles. The skirt is a surplice; it has two cut-in pockets and a wide girdle. Navy blue and beige.

Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor

Spring blouses for misses

New waistcoat blouses.
New low-collar, high-collar and no-collar blouses.
New beaded blouses.

$3.75 $3

Judge Filene in misses' blouses by the two sketched:

"Miss Bright"—sketched on the left. Georgette crepe, $5.75.

"Miss Sharp"—sketched on the right. A practical blouse of white batiste with pique waistcoat, $2.

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Filene values in women's and misses' spring coats

Women's Bolivia coats, $35

$35 $35

The women's coat shop provides these luxurious coats, both in fitted and loose styles. They are hand-lined throughout with peau de cygne; in fact, the tailoring is of a noticeably high standard.

CAPES are ready for women, beginning at $25.

Misses' panel coats, $35

The sketch on the left shows a likable application to Spring coats of the vogue for panels. This coat comes in tan, gabardine and navy serge. Linings are especially pretty.

BEIGE, GRAY and INFANTRY BLUE coats are ready for misses, beginning at $25.

Filene's—mail orders filled.

The PUTNEE and TABARD

Designed by a college girl for college girl farmerettes. The designer rides a horse—one would know it by the comfortable but smart fulness alone and tightness at the knee. Introduced by the misses' apron shop.

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OXFORDS the leading Spring shoe fashion.

Nobody who has not seen them can appreciate the variety to be had in Spring oxfords.

Women's tan oxfords, medium and very dark, plain or wing tipped, Cuban or curved heels, are ready at $5.50 and $7.

Women's patent leather oxfords with curved wooden heels, $6.50.

Women's tan oxfords in many styles, in kidskin and calfskin, $6 and $7.

$6.50 in black, $7 in tan.

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Filene values in children's tough tan boots, $3.25

Sizes 7 to 11. For all kinds of wear—play, school or dress up. Bring the children in to be fitted—or else bring a pencil tracing of either foot to make sure of the correct size.

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Women's envelope chemises

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RUDDERLESS STEAMSHIP IS TOWED INTO PORT

An Atlantic Port, March 1.—The British steamer Cafus, which lost her rudder in a storm off the coast between Portland and Cape Sable was towed into harbor by a naval vessel, which had much difficulty on the trip because the Cafus broke away five times in the rough seas. The disabled steamer will be repaired as quickly as possible.

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30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER

BOSTON POLICE BEST IN THE COUNTRY

By CONSTANCE WILLIAMS.

Is Boston a spotless town? Not yet, but it will be, soon, for it is gaining a reputation that will make it everywhere stand for justice and right.

"The best police city in the country" is the verdict, as the result of the Wisconsin State Commission's exhaustive study of our police department. And if strangers say that about us, what have we to say about ourselves?

It was in order to find out that I went to Superintendent of Police Michael H. Crowley. Commissioner Sullivan had refused to talk "off" with me. "It might be interpreted as 'Super' praise," he said. But "Super" Crowley was not so reticent.

"What do I think of our police force?" he asked. "Why, of course it is the best in the country. And when outsiders think so, too, I know it is true. It is statements like that of the Wisconsin Commission that make us feel our work is worth while."

"And why is our force so good," I asked him. "Tell me why it is better than that of other cities."

"Well," Mr. Crowley deliberated, "there are a good many things that make it, if not better, at least as good as that of other cities. **And the first and greatest of these reasons is in the character of Mr. O'Meara.**"

Now I understand why he refused to talk.

"The Commissioner is the best head I have ever worked under, and I have been here a good many years," the superintendent went on. "He knows the police system from beginning to end, too, in a way that few other can know it. The work is **both his business and pleasure. And if it were not for him**, with his interest and personality backing us, our department would not be what it is.

"Human interest plays an important part in everything, and especially in a work like his. Mr. O'Meara always makes a little thirty-minute speech to each group of men after they have been sworn in. He doesn't tell them the rules. He makes it a personal talk, and shows an individual concern in each man, telling him what is expected of him as a member of the force.

"Cheerfulness is one of the requisites," Mr. Crowley continued, when I asked him. "That and courtesy, while a neat and uniform personal appearance is always insisted upon. The men will tell you, however, they cannot feel that they are being forced to join us. They learn then to know that advancement depends on their own abilities and their manner of working.

"For no outside influence plays any part in the promotion of the officers on our force. There is always perfect fairness and justice. Indeed, under Mr. O'Meara, a candidate often suffers from depending on undue outside influence.

CAMP TRAINING REGENERATES SAYS ISAAC

Rev. Alfred E. Isaac, pastor of the Dorchester Baptist Temple, has just returned from two months' sojourn at Camp Upton, Yaphank, N. Y., where he lived among the soldiers and was assigned as temporary chaplain of the 306th Machine Gun Battalion.

He praises the life of the soldier in camp, and maintains that even if the war had not occurred the experiment would justify all the expenses incurred as it has improved the morals and health of the men.

"I never had a better time in all my life, going among the soldier boys," said this pastor.

"It has convinced me that they are better off morally in such a camp as Camp Upton than they were in civilian life.

"Camp life as carried out today in a model centre. Many are not only trained in military tactics, but they are **trained to care for themselves morally and physically.**

"I saw this everywhere I went in the camp. I did not see any drunkenness, neither did I hear anything that would reflect a low tone. There is a strong manliness everywhere in the camp. It is evident in the speech of the men and in their conduct.

"Believe me, I am thoroughly convinced camp life of the kind I saw is a big regenerator. Many a man taken from civilian life has been wonderfully improved and when he goes back to business, he will have a larger vision of his opportunities.

"I am going to speak Sunday night on the subject advocating training camps as moral centres. Brigadier-General Johnson, commander of the camp, talks to the men under him in a most convincing way, and has every man with him in his efforts to make conditions strong morally.

"I believe in camp life of the kind I saw. Everything was excellent and the men full of "right spirit."

SKI ACCIDENT FATAL TO ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL MAN

Concord, N. H., March 1.—James Malcolm Kendall, head of the Latin School, died today as the result of a recent skiing accident. He was born in Arnot, Pa., in 1873, graduated at Yale in 1895 and had been a master at St. Paul's School since 1896. He is survived by a widow and two sons.

MARCHED RIGHT IN LIKE LION OF OLD

March came in like a lion today with a chilling downpour of sleet, rain and hail. If the old adage holds true March is now due to go out like a lamb, and an early Spring is in order.

The age-old superstition says that if the first three days of March—stolen from February—are cold or stormy it signifies the breaking up of Winter and better things may be looked for in the weather line.

Today, however, the weather man declined to place much faith in the old saw. After consulting his weather maps he admitted that "Sinc" was an appropriate comparison but he would say nothing official about the early Spring.

Although the temperature was moderate today, the mixture of rain and hail played havoc with traffic. Trains and cars were delayed and vehicular traffic impeded.

Clearing weather is promised by the local forecaster for today with fair and somewhat colder tomorrow. It was raining generally today throughout New England and along the Atlantic seaboard.

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BEAUTY SPECIALIST TELLS SECRET

A Beauty Specialist Gives Simple Home Made Recipe to Darken Gray Hair

Mrs. M. D. Gillespie, a well known beauty specialist of Kansas City, recently gave out the following statement regarding gray hair:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, of very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half-pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and ¼ ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or the druggist will put it up for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray haired person look twenty years younger. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

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Tomato Soup, Snider's 10½c Can 11c
Prunes, Santa Clara, 90-100 Size 11c
Soap White Rose . . 7 Bars for 25c
Pineapple Fancy Hawaiian Sliced or Crushed No. 2 Can 18c
Baking Powder . . . 12-oz. Can 14c
Sliced Peaches Fancy Yellow Cling No. 2½ Can 18c
Molasses Grade Label . . . 2½ Can 30c
Fancy New Orleans Fancy Open Kettle Fair Grade Lb. 15c

Quaker Oats, Regular Pkg., 10c
Bolted Indian Meal . . Fancy Yellow 36c
Rye Flour . . . . . 5 Lbs. 36c
Baked Beans Annour's No. 2 Can 20c
Salmon Fancy Pink Alaska Tall Can 17c
Crab Meat . . Fancy Japanese ½ Can 23c, ¼ Can 40c
Peas, Fancy, Sweet Wrinkled, Can 16c
Buckwheat GRANDMA BRAND Medium Package 18c
Rice, Fancy Blue Rose . . Lb. 11c

FISH DEPARTMENT
Boneless Codfish, 3-Lb. Box, 70c
Bloaters, Large, Smoked, ea. 7c
Whole Codfish Newfoundland 20c
Boned Codfish Fancy Lb. 21c
Shredded Codfish 3 Pkgs. 25c
Canadian Boned Codfish Lb. 26c

FRUIT & VEGETABLE DEPT.
Apples, Fancy Baldwins, 5-Lbs. for 25c
Grapefruit . . . . . 7 for 25c
Oranges, Fancy . . . . Doz. 40c
Onions Fancy Native 7 Lbs. for 25c
Carrots . . . . . 6 Lbs. for 25c
Celery, Fancy White . Bunch 15c

MEAT DEPT.
Corned Beef, Middle Rib . . . . . Lb. 20c

Chuck Roast . . Lb. 22c
Sirloin Roll . . . Lb. 30c
Fores Lamb . . . Lb. 23c
Pork Roast Eastern Lb. 29c
Leg & Loin Lamb Lb. 28c
Frankforts Fancy Lb. 22c
Arlington Sausage Lb. 33c
Pork Sausage Home Made Lb. 30c
Bacon, Sliced . . Lb. 44c
Bologna . . . Lb. 20c
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A Splendid Display of Serge and Taffeta Dresses

Smart Serge and Taffeta Frocks—Splendid variety of styles in wool serges, braided and button trimmed, satin collars, excellent quality taffetas and pretty stripes, plaids and plain colors, fancy pockets, Georgette sleeves. **$9.98**

New Serge and Taffeta Dresses—For street or afternoon wear, of fine quality French serge, smart ripple effect, taffetas, outlined with gilt tracery, fashionable colorings. **$12.95**

Serge and Taffeta Frocks—Attractive models in fine quality taffetas, French serges, new pointed tunics, novel vestee effects, Butterfly bows, others with embroidered bodice and Georgette crepe sleeves. Sizes for women and misses. **$15.00**

Boys' Spring Clothing

Gilchrist's Boys' Store gives you complete satisfaction. The newest styles and the best qualities. Conveniently arranged for your selection and all priced astonishingly low.

Boys' Wash Suits
$1.25

Sizes 2½ to 8 years. Fabrics are galatea, repp, madras, linens and linons. Models, Jr. Norfolk Trench styles, Short Russians, button to neck, military styles and double-breasted models. Patterns, plain colors, tans, blues and white. Pretty combination effects and neat color stripe.

Boys' Extra Trouser Suits
$7.50

Sizes 7 to 18 years. These suits are well tailored. The fabrics are dependable woolens. Jackets are cut in the newest Trench models. Two pairs of full lined knickers with every suit. Large assortment of new colors to select from.

Dainty Spring Waists

Crepe de Chine Waists
In new slip-on model, made with cowl collar, tucks across front. **$5.50**

Georgette Crepe Waists
Front daintily embroidered and beaded by hand. Large collar. **$5.98**

Crepe de Chine Waists
In tailored style with large pointed collar **$2.98**

Glove Items That Deserve Your Attention

Doeskin Gloves
One clasp doeskin gloves, imperial point embroidery, in white. Will wash perfectly **$1.50**

Glace Gloves
Women's white glace gloves, full pique sewn, one pearl clasp at wrist, with heavy chain, embroidered backs in self and contrasting embroideries **$1.50**

Spring Apparel for the Young Folks

Junior Spring Suits $9.75

Fine all-wool poplins and serges in navy, green and grey. Smart-looking belted coats, made with new collars and over-collars of self, silk or pique, some silk lined. Sizes 12 to 19 years.

Juniors' Spring Coats—All-wool poplins and serges, in navy, blue, tan and grey. Empire and belted styles, featuring new self and over-collars of fancy silk; lined to the waist. Sizes 13 to 19 years. **$16.50**

Girls' Spring Coats—Checks in black and white. Empire effects, belts and roll collars of self and contrasting materials. Sizes 6 to 14 years. **$5.75**

Children's Bloomer Dresses—Poplin and ginghams in plain colors. Three high waisted styles with white collars and cuffs, self belt, full cut bloomers. Sizes 2 to 6 years. **$1.25**

Spring Gloves of Real Value

Glace Gloves
2 clasp glace gloves, overseam sewing, Paris point, backs in black sewn and embroidered white **$1.75**

Suede Gloves
2 clasp white chamois suede gloves with imperial point embroidery **65c**

Men's Street Gloves
Men's Washable Street Gloves, one-clasp, P. X. M. sewn, spear point backs, in tan and gray shades **$2.50**

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TO OPEN NIGHT SESSIONS OF SOUTH BOSTON SCHOOLS

Announcement has been made that the evening sessions of the John A. Andrew and the Bigelow Schools will start next Monday evening in the South Boston High School Building, Thomas Park and G street. The classes will open at 7:15 p. m., promptly.

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THE WOMAN WHO CHOOSES HER MATE

It is said the woman does the courting. The male thinks he chooses, but, instead, he is guided, hither and thither (a merry game) by the invisible leading string of feminine art. Can this be true of fat ladies? Does the fat woman feel as safe her leading strings will hold as the girl with the line of beauty from toe to chin?

Mere man knows as little of this as of other things feminine, but he has done one famous thing. He has developed a harmless and elegant fat reducer, the Marmola Prescription Tablet. This tablet taken after meals and at bedtime relieves the fat girl's soul of four of the straight front enemy, for it puts her on equal terms. Anyone can get this by its means—and quickly. It takes off a pound a day in some cases. Simply take one tablet a day as indicated. The reduction is sure; it will be uniform; no wrinkles or harm will result. Fat will go as it came—quietly—off the fattest places first. The Marmola Tablet (made strictly in accordance with the famous fashionable formula, ¾ os. Marmola, ¾ os. Fl. Ex. Cascara Aromatic, 4¾ os. Peppermint Water) never injures. It is cheap, also, a large case, of the makers, the Marmola Co., 884 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich., or any druggist, costing only seventy-five cents.

Stefansson Plans Sled Trip Over Arctic Ice

By International News Service.

Toronto, Ont., March 1.—The Globe has received the following message from Vilhjalmor Stefansson:

"Herschell Island, Jan. 31, 1918. (Via Dawson, Y. T., Feb. 28.)—"Have been planning this Winter to start with ten or more sleds north from Cross Island, Alaska. We have supposed that there is a westerly current and if this should prove so, we plan to make an 800-mile or more circle to Wrangle Island or the Siberian coast. In case conditions differ from what is expected, a Winter may have to be spent on the ice.

"The work of preparation for this ice trip has been carried on all Winter most efficiently by Mr. Sterkerson.

"V. STEFANSSON."

542 TUFTS MEN NOW DOING WAR SERVICE

According to figures compiled by Secretary George S. Miller of Tufts College, 542 Tufts men are in war service, 248 of them holding commissions in either the army of navy. A census taken by classes shows that the 1917 Class to be in the lead with 104 or over half the graduating class. The 1916 class comes next with 85 and 1919 third with 53.

DAINTY COSTUME OF YOUNG WOMAN GARDENER

A neat and practical costume for working in the Summer garden modishly made up in blue and white striped percale. The white collar and belt add an effective and contrasting touch to the garment. The skirt effect of the blouse, together with the roomy pockets, are features of novel design. The crossover effect of the rest of the costume, daintily gathered at the bottom, combine with the tightly buttoned sleeves to offer two practical points in favor of its wear. The garment is designed for outdoor use and for garden work in particular.

Resolutions on McMillin.

Resolutions on the death of Ralph E. McMillin, writer and poet, who was a member of the AMERICAN staff, were adopted by the Newspaper Club at the regular meeting and dinner at Healy's Hotel.

LYNN SHOE WORKERS OPPOSE TRADE SCHOOL

The 21,000 shoe workers, members of the United Shoe Workers of America and the Allied Shoe Workers' Union, represented by their business agents, last night voiced their protest, before the City Council of Lynn, against the city turning over the $10,000 appropriated for the shoe trade school. When the appropriation was passed the voters of the city were told that the school would be used to train future shoemakers. They have recently been informed that the school would turn out shoemakers to take the places of union workmen who have answered the country's call to arms.

CLAIM MEN TRIED TO HAMPER ENLISTMENTS

Minneapolis, Minn., March 1.—A. C. Townley, president of the Non-Partisan League, and Joseph Gilbert, manager, have been arrested in St. Paul on warrants sworn out in Martin County, charging them with conspiracy to discourage enlistments and to obstruct the draft. The charges against Townley and his chief aide are based upon a pamphlet issued last June entitled, "War Aims of the Non-Partisan League."

CONGRESSMAN FULLER TO SPEAK AT MELROSE

Congressman Alvan T. Fuller, whose criticism of Congressional committees has drawn forth a scathing reply from other Congressmen, is to be the chief speaker at the prohibition mass meeting in Melrose Sunday night. After the meeting he will speak in Everett.

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New Women's 2-Clasp Washable Chamoisette Gloves, made from the finest cloth—grey, pongee, black and white. Pair 1.00

New Imported Genuine French Kid Gloves, pique seam, all the new shades. Pair 2.00

New 8-Button Mousquetaire Gloves, black stitched with white, Trefousse make. Pair 2.75

New 1-Clasp Grey Mocha Gloves. Pair 2.50

(Tremont Street—First Floor)

BITS OF NEW NECKWEAR

—A "Dollar" does make the purchase of such unordinary.

New Foulard Silk Collar and Cuff Sets.
New Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets, dainty colors.

ANY OF THE ABOVE 1.00

New Filet Lace Collars, also sets.
New Pique Vestees.
New Washable Satin Collar and Cuff Sets, also collars.
New Pique Neckwear, including vestees, collars, and collar and cuff sets, at 50c

(Tremont Street—First Floor)

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's all linen handkerchiefs, ¼-inch hem, 6 for 1.25
Men's tape border handkerchiefs, hemstitched, very fine, 25c
Men's handkerchiefs, full size, ¼-inch hem, 12½c
Women's dainty handkerchiefs, with colored borders, 6 for 1.00
Women's madeira style handkerchiefs, each 29c

(Winter Street—First Floor)

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Made of kidskin, with turned soles, plain toe and leather Louis heel.

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ROMPERS FOR ROMPERS!

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19 New Styles poplins, chambrays, percales, plisse crepe, seersuckers, and fine ginghams. Hand embroidered and smocked styles in white, some with colored trimmings, stripes and plain colors. Sizes 1 to 5 years, 1.00 to 2.25

Special lot of rompers, in plain or striped materials, some seersuckers in lot, plain or smocked styles. Sizes 1 to 5 years, 69c

Girls' Smocks, in rose, green, blue, yellow and white, smocked at yoke in delicate colors. For girls 10, 12 and 14 years, 1.95

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

GOOD LINENS

Small lot of cloths, from an Irish manufacturer. Purchased over a year ago—no napkins to match. Worth 30% more today.

2x2 yards 3.15
2x2½ yards 3.95

Another lot, without napkins, purchased at the same time.

2x2 yards 4.45
2x2½ yards 5.95

Odd napkins, 22x22, 6.95; fine quality double damask, some round designs, purchased to match cloths, but cloth looms are dismantled.

(Tremont Street—Fourth Floor)

STURDY, PRACTICAL APRONS

Small pointed percale aprons with yoke, only 180 in lot; special at 29c

Bungalow aprons, in stripes with white piping on neck and sleeve, 65c

Coverall aprons, in good percale, open back, fine stripes or small figures, 89c

Coverall aprons, open side front, figured percale with colored trimmings, made with belt, 1.00

Regular and extra size elastic band percale aprons, splendid quality, colored trimming, 1.25

(Tremont Street—Third Floor)

STATIONERY AND WHAT A LOW PRICE!

And let us hope that most of it will be used for good, long letters to the boys "over there."

72 sheets Ward's selected Linen Writing Paper 19c

ENVELOPES TO MATCH, PACKAGE 8c

As there are only 300 packages in the lot, fortunate indeed are those who get here in time to claim a share of this offering.

(Winter Street—First Floor)

NOVELTY AND BEAUTY CHARACTERIZE THESE CREPE DE CHINE BLOUSES

3.95

Many different vagaries—to serve so many different purposes—yet all are smartly designed, cleverly executed and made charmingly becoming for wear with the new Spring suits.

The high-collar blouse is here—because it will be wanted by the women who choose the Eton jacket suits. Tuxedo front, yoke shoulder, in white or flesh.

For the low neck blouse there is a model with a deep, round collar, French cuff, centre front fastens with three pearl buttons—in white or flesh.

Entirely different model, plait at either shoulder, trimmed with small pearl buttons, new shawl collar that fastens with large pearl button—in flesh, white or maize.

Another handsome blouse in beautiful shades of maize, flesh, white or copen. Yoke shoulder with new round collar, hemstitched two-button cuff.

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

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WOMEN PRAISE PLAN TO REBUILD FRANCE

Leading New England women continue to endorse the rebuild France project begun by William Randolph Hearst.

In this plan they see a wonderful opportunity to help our stricken sister republic rise from her ruins at the conclusion of the world's greatest war. They believe that we are duty bound to rehabilitate the country the magnificent way in which she has acted as the buffer against the German juggernaut.

Among the most recent endorsements of the movement come from a group of Julia Arthur Cheney, of Hopkinton; Laura S. Lockwood, associate professor of English literature at Wellesley College; Katharine P. Loring, leading society woman and Fred Crane author of Fredo a Cressida, and Sarah M. Smoot of Cambridge.

Their tributes follow:

JULIA ARTHUR, leading American actress.

I am heartily in accord with the Hearst plan to rebuild the cities of France.

The supreme great things of the Hearst papers but in my opinion they have done nothing greater than conceiving this magnificent plan.

This terrible carnage has been a war of untimely destruction of human life and valuable property and when it is over the great work of reconstruction must begin.

America has proved what she can do in the building up of cities by her own wonderful cities from coast to coast.

France is our stricken sister Republic and America will pay her debt of love and appreciation willingly and will do it well.

The Hearst papers have my congratulations for conceiving so splendid a plan and my earnest good wishes for its perfect success.

If a mere woman can be useful to so great a plan when you get ready to put it in working order the Hearst papers may command my services.

KATHARINE P. LORING, Prides Crossing.

Thank you for an opportunity to say a word as to your excellent proposal for the rebuilding of French cities, and I would add, Belgian towns. Let us spend all that we must to win the war first, then when we have peace let us turn to this rebuilding as a thank-offering for it.

LAURA S. LOCKWOOD, Associate Professor English Literature, Wellesley College.

The plan you propose for rehabilitating the towns of France seems to me an excellent one. It proposes specific responsibility for each American city which is willing to enter the scheme, and would secure a definite application of means to one particular purpose, if the money were put into wise hands, the results must be good.

It would give the stimulus of personal relation between the city here and the town there, which would do much toward creating a common interest and understanding, we should thereby, I think, gain more than we gave. We can never pay our debt to France, both for her help in the Revolutionary War and for her present splendid example of noble courage.

But before we begin to raise money to rehabilitate these towns, we must more decisively help to get them finally and securely out of the danger of German destruction.

SARAH M. SMOOT, prominent Cambridge woman.

A shadow rolled down over the hearts of the American women that first week of the war in August, 1914, a shadow deepening as the ominous news of the advance of the Germans on Paris came in each day. How many women, in that dire week of suspense, even wrote in despair to the President of the United States? They felt that they must ask him, as the supreme authority, whether it might not still be possible to rescue some of those poor people, upon whom an extraordinary avalanche was rolling down.

Three years have come and gone since then—three years in which, I believe, few American mothers have gathered around the evening fire with husband and little ones, without thinking again of those mothers of France.

These French families live upon the same bit of land that father and grandfather has tended and loved. Their house may have been burned, or the soil torn into enormous crevasses by the bursting of bombs; yet it is still their own, their home. Before the refugee, far away, now with a few treasures tied up in the pathetic bundle, glimmers always the hope—nay the will—to return to his scrap of the earth's surface; to return to his field again, when the thunder of the great guns has been moved away toward the Rhine, and to labor over it endlessly until it brings forth a harvest.

Surely to all the women of America an opportunity to contribute even the widow's mite to help re-establish a home there in France will be grateful. Each one may help. All will find in so doing an outlet for the sympathy they must feel; a sympathy so deep that it urges expression.

A man begins with a little selfish view of Good limited to himself; after a time, he learns more wisdom and his view of Good enlarges to his own household. Then, with more wisdom comes the realization that Good must include his family, no matter how large. Again more wisdom, and his family becomes his village, his village his city, and in turn, his city his country. But this is not enough; as his wisdom grows, his country becomes his continent, and his continent the world; his family has become mankind.

This plan of the AMERICAN, tending as it does to the promotion of a neighborly kindness even to Europe, seems to me admirable; it is the suitable work for an enlightened press.

700 KILLED AS STAND FALLS AT RACE TRACK

London, March 1.—Seven hundred persons, including one American, were killed in the collapse of the grandstand at the Hong Kong racecourse on Tuesday, said a dispatch from that city today. In all, fifteen foreigners lost their lives. The injured number about 300.

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The best you ever saw at the price; attractive patterns, good quality materials, well made. Better shirts you wouldn't want to wear, and an easier price for a good shirt is impossible in these times. Sizes 14 to 17.

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Men's 25c Ipswich Hosiery—Black, sizes 9½ to 11, special for Saturday 19c

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Men's $1.50 Pajamas—Heavy thick flannelette; all sizes 1.29

SPECIAL SATURDAY 9 TO 10 A. M.
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Hand-made Hats or French Blocks. Parisienne in chic use of imported wings, brilliant fancies, burnt ostrich, lacquered quills, ribbon or imported petite flowers. Special at

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Banded Hats and Shapes
$2.98 to $8.98

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Head of Catholic Army Chaplains Praises Plan

BISHOP PATRICK J. HAYES, Catholic Chaplain General United States Army, in charge of all the Catholic chaplains in the army.

I think it is an excellent plan. I heartily endorse it. In this way we can repay France for what she did for us in the Revolutionary war. After what Cardinal Farley of New York has said in approval of this movement there is little I can add except that I approve of the proposition. What France did for us at the time of our Revolution makes it possible for us to repay her now.

Answer Quick!

Who is Trotzky?

Where is Ukrainia?

What is a Bolshevik?

How many miles from Riga to Petrograd?

Where are the Germans invading Russia?

Can you answer these questions—can you help the school children—give them all the thrilling details of the Russian upheaval?

Help the school children to REMEMBER history—teach them to VISUALIZE their history—show them the value of maps. Start NEXT SUNDAY and get the colored map.

Germany Walking Through Russia

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Next Sunday's Advertiser-American

The map will picture the great events in Russian history and every school-child in New England should have a copy of it.

It does away with guesswork and helps to emphasize each step in the present German campaign against Russia.

Study the map and save it for future reference.

—Today—Order your copy of NEXT SUNDAY'S ADVERTISER-AMERICAN — Don't wait for the dealer to say "all sold out."

In our semi-annual stock-taking we have gone over our entire assortment of Winter Overcoats, *with the needs particularly in mind of the man who cannot afford to pay high prices this season, and yet must have good clothing.*

Hence this

Inventory Sale

Of 378 Morse-Made Winter Overcoats

While many lines are broken, and odd sizes and sample coats are included, still the stock is large enough to give practically every man as wide a range for selection as he needs, and *the savings are noteworthy.*

75 Overcoats formerly $25.00
41 Overcoats formerly 22.50
89 Overcoats formerly 20.00
Now $17.50

137 Overcoats formerly $20.00
36 Overcoats formerly 17.50
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SPECIAL

In appreciation of the overwhelming response to the above offerings, and in answer to the many inquiries for "higher priced overcoats marked down," here are

78 Fine Overcoats

—imported fabrics such as "Beaumont" Meltons in oxford and blue, and fine domestic goods such as oxford Worsteds and gray Kerseys. Not all sizes in each style, but the sale price makes *every* coat *doubly* attractive. Were $40, $45 and $50. While they last $37.50

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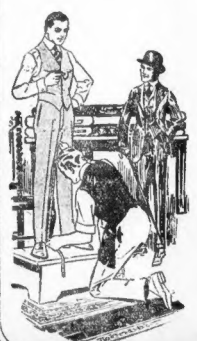

—Suits will be cut in any single-breasted sack coat style you may desire—choice of many styles—one, two and three-button models.
—Blue and black unfinished worsteds, blue and black serges, shepherd plaids.
—Pin checks, hair line and pencil stripes, tartan plaids, fancy cheviots, fancy worsteds, clear and unfinished.
—Every suit under the eye of expert tailors, from the selection of the fabric to the last silk stitch.
—We guarantee every garment—the fit, style, fabric and tailoring—in fact everything—must be satisfactory.
—We fit the "hard to fit"—stout men, slim men, short men, tall men—all at the same price, 23.50.
—No extra charges for fancy cuffs on coat sleeves, or for side straps, belt loops or cuffed trousers.
—Models and fabrics to suit young and old—with our expert tailors' advice—free.

23.50

U. S. MAY SELL DOCKS OWNED BY GERMANS

$10,000,000 Worth of Property Will Be Invested in Liberty Bonds

By International News Service.

Washington, March 1.—The United States government is considering the sale to Americans of more than $10,000,000 worth of port terminal property in America belonging to Germany. The money, it is intimated, will be invested for the Germans in Liberty Bond loans.

The property, mainly that of the North German Lloyd and Hamburg American steamship companies, is now being used by the government for war purposes under the supervision of A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian.

If the property were sold to Americans the proceeds will be invested by Palmer in Liberty Loan bonds, as has been done with the money from the sale of other alien enemy property. The use of the port facilities by the government now and for the duration of the war without sale necessitates compensation to the German owners after the war with probably a greater return on their value than the four per cent. of the liberty bonds.

SULLIVAN ENLISTS FOR CARPENTRY IN IRELAND

Dennis J. Sullivan of No. 14 Phillips street, Roxbury, enlisted in the construction gang who are going to Ireland to erect aviation headquarters, at the Navy recruiting station. Sullivan has two brothers already in the United States Navy and two more brothers in the British war service.

CONFERENCE AT STATE HOUSE; HOPE TO AVERT STRIKE

Miss Ella Dillon, member of the executive, committee of Lawrence telephone girls.

Miss Maude E. Cahill, Lawrence telephone operator, active in campaign for better conditions for operators.

Miss Louise A. Foss, president of Pittsfield Telephone Operators' Union.

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both the telephone company and the operators attended.

The board is bending every effort to avert a crisis.

It was declared that the success of Henry B. Endicott in averting a strike of Elevated carmen might result in his being called on to act in the telephone situation.

BIG VOTE FOR STRIKE.

Few figures have been given out but the ballots which are to be counted at the Adams House tomorrow are believed on good authority to show, with the exception of those union officials refused to give any inkling of the vote.

Unofficial returns from Springfield indicate an almost unanimous sentiment for a strike among the operators of that city.

from Lewiston, Me., an overwhelming majority in favor of a walkout.

The compromise offer made by the company has been rejected by the girls, who are holding out for a maximum wage of $16 a week for all girls in the service seven years and other increases in proportion.

Districts which voted on the question of striking include: Lynn, Salem, Newburyport, Brockton, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell, Taunton, New Bedford, Fall River, Fitchburg, Worcester, Springfield, Pittsfield, North Adams, Manchester, N. H., Portland, Bangor and Lewiston, Me.

PITTSFIELD BALLOT SECRET.

Almost 100 per cent. of the members of the Pittsfield Telephone Operators' Union, including operators at the Pittsfield, Dalton, Lenox, Lee and Stockbridge exchanges, cast their votes in secret ballot on the question of whether they will enforce their demands by a strike. Male employees of the telephone company have given the girls assurances that they will stand behind them in their demands, and it is learned that the male employees are shortly to submit their demands for a universal wage scale.

The girls state that the real reason for their strike vote is not the half-dollar difference between their demands and the company's compromise offer, but because the company has, until this year, granted all outside territory a wage increase at the same time that it has granted the Boston operators an advance, while this year it has given the Boston operators an increase larger than it offers the others, thereby creating a separation.

THOUGHT TO FAVOR STRIKE.

In Fitchburg, though no statement was issued as to the result, as the ballots go to union headquarters in Boston tomorrow, it was said the operators voted almost unanimously to strike if the request for a wage increase is not granted.

Telephone operators of Salem, Peabody, Danvers, Beverly, Beverly Farms, Manchester and Hamilton voted to strike by a vote of 124 to fourteen yesterday. The Odell hall was hired for the polling place, opening at 12:30, the polls being kept opened until 8 p. m. This gave the out-of-town operators a chance to come to Salem to express their opinions by ballot that they were not satisfied with the company's rate of wage.

Portland, Me. telephone operators balloted to obtain the sentiment on the increased wage scale, but the

RESCUE GIRL OF 19, HELD AS SLAVE

Woman Police Deputy Says Victim's Story Is One of Horror; Man Arrested

By International News Service.

New York, March 1.—Tied up like a wild beast and threatened with death if she attempted to escape, Miss Elizabeth Neil, 19, more dead than alive, was rescued from a Brooklyn residence today by Mrs. Ellen O'Grady, 5th deputy police commissioner, and Detective Carroll. Mrs. O'Grady characterized the girl's story as the most terrible she had ever heard.

Anthony Abruzzo, 37, was arrested in Miss Neil's alleged abduction. For two weeks, according to Miss Neil's story, he held her as a virtual slave, keeping her chained up like a dog by day, and working his will upon her under threat of death.

Miss Neil disappeared from her home two weeks ago. She and Abruzzo were traced to Bridgeport, Conn., but there the clew was lost. Last night Mrs. O'Grady received word that Miss Neil was a prisoner at the Brooklyn residence.

EDISON'S SON GRANTED TEMPORARY EXEMPTION

West Orange, N. J., March 1.—Charles Edison, son of Thomas A. Edison, has been granted deferred classification in the draft on his claim of being the managing director of an industrial enterprise. The younger Edison is in charge of his father's industries.

CAPT. BRICKLEY'S FUNERAL ON MONDAY

News of Former Police Officer's Death Cabled to Three Sons in Service

The funeral of Captain John A. Brickley, retired for 18 years a member of the Boston police force, will take place on Monday from his late home at No. 18 Mystic street, Charlestown. A requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. Francis de Sales Church, Charlestown.

Word of Captain Brickley's death has been cabled to three of his sons who are now serving with the United States forces in France. They are Lieutenant Henry A. Brickley of the 23d United States Infantry, Arthur J. Brickley of the American Ambulance Field Service, and Albert J. Brickley of the medical department, 10th United States Infantry, Capt. Brickley is survived also by another son, Thomas F. Brickley, and a daughter, Miss Margaretta V. Brickley, teacher in the Prescott School, Charlestown.

Captain Brickley was sixty-seven years old. He retired about a year ago. He was made a patrolman in the Boston department in December, 1873, and was first assigned to the court square station. He had been ill for the past two weeks. Death is caused by heart failure.

TWO THOUSAND GARDENS PLANNED FOR MELROSE

Under the direction of the Melrose Horticultural Society a drive to have 2,000 home gardens in the city this year will begin Monday night at the Melrose Club, when prominent florists and gardeners will give ten-minute talks.

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for the matron and miss

We are wholesalers selling also direct to the individual are forfeiting the big profits, trimmed hat values in the city. Compare these with $4 hats usual $3 and $2 retail at our prices. Our price

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Carnival Days
In Our Great
Bargain Basement
The One Great Monthly Saving Event

This Friday and Saturday have been set aside as Carnival Days, where **all merchandise unsold**—bought during the month—**will be absolutely sacrificed** and sold on the days they are advertised—regardless of cost or value, in order to start with entirely new stocks the first day of each month—

Women's and Misses' COATS
only about 15 coats—There won't be any more—Come early!
$6.95

Women's and Misses' Serge and Satin DRESSES
New Spring Dresses, all latest in styles and materials—only number our Carnival sale.
$6.75

Misses' HOUSE DRESSES
A lot of Pamela Dresses—Navy only—in sizes 14 only. Small assortment. Use your head.
67c

$4--$5--$6 W. L. DOUGLAS' SAMPLE SHOES
For Women and Misses
Since the merger by us of these three lines. Douglas stamped on every shoe.
$1.95

Be Sure and Attend This Bargain Treat Today and Tomorrow

ENVELOPE CHEMISES
of fine Lawn or Batiste, daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery—surprising big bargain.
45c

Women's Silk WAISTS
Milk-white satin or Satin Duchesse—Dress longer than ever this month. Carmen sale—Use your head—$1.47 now.
85c

Women's Seersucker NIGHT GOWNS
Cut full and roomy, trimmed with plain or lace—just as Queen Ann.
47c

Women's, Misses', Boys' and Children's Rubbers
Balance of a big Rubber Sale had—at a wonderful saving. Carnival Days help you save.
59c

Direct Elevator Service to the Basement

Children's COATS
(Full Lined)
Sizes 2 to 6
It would pay us to pack these coats away—but instead we've decided hands big profits to you.
$1.17

Boys' Heavy Wool Mackinaws
This will be the last lot of Mackinaws we'll have this season. Next Winter they'll be many times the same.
$3.69

Little Gents' SHOES
Just a few pairs come down and watch 'em fly out. Sizes 9 to 13½.
$1.00

Boys' Tan Grain STORM BOOTS
Sizes 9 to 13
For Friday and Saturday only we offer these $3.98 Storm Shoes for
$1.65

Women's Black Hose, 15¢
Women's Boot Silk Hose, 29¢
Corset Covers.....17¢
Women's Low Shoes..59¢
(Small Sizes)

THE BIG STORE - AN ENTIRE BLOCK
VORENBERG'S
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Boys' Serge Caps.....45¢
Boys' Silk Ties.....29¢
Women's Hats....$1.79
Children's Bath Robes.79¢
Women's Novelty Shoes, $2.75

WMAN ASKS $25,000; GETS VERDICT OF $25

hrown to the ground by a defecti step alighting from a train, Miss Ruheth Seibert, this city, was given verdict of $25 when she sued the ston & Maine Railroad for $25,000. Th accident happened in June, 1916 ntVeston.

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We're All Going Calling on the Kaiser

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One cent extra by mail
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Democrats Select Women for All Town Offices

By International News Service.

Syracuse, N. Y., March 1.—Gen vernour is believed to be th first village or city in the Stat since the woman suffrage law became effective to name a com plete suffragette ticket.

At a party caucus this week the Democrats selected women for all nominations. The only opposition came from some of the men who had been office hold ers for many years. However when the results became known they declared they would line up and expected to see a Democratic victory.

DEATH PENALTY RESTS WITH PRESIDENT

By International News Service.

Washington, March 1.—The fate of four American soldiers in France rests in the hands of President Wilson. Within the next two or three days the President will be confronted with the duty of deciding whether they shall live or die.

The four soldiers have been convicted by general court martial and sentenced to be shot. General Pershing, who has the power to order the execution carried out or to submit the cases to the President for review, has chosen the latter course. General Pershing approved the sentences.

The judge advocate's department of the War Department has virtually completed its review of the trials. No errors in the findings have been discovered and the papers will be ready for the President probably tomorrow.

Two of the men were convicted of sleeping at their post on the firing line. The other two refused to obey the orders of a superior officer.

URGES USE OF MAPLE SAP IN SUGAR CRISIS

Fitchburg, March 1.—City Forester Hubbard is advocating production of maple sugar to relieve the shortage of granulated. He says there are thousands of maple trees in Fitchburg and vicinity which should be tapped for sap. The syrup and sugar boiled from the sap can be used in many ways, he points out, as a substitute for granulated sugar.

HAPPENINGS IN SOCIETY

Many Leave Town for Week-End Trips. Debutante Dinners Attract Social Attention

Miss Frances Hood of Chestnut Hill, for whom Mrs. E. S. Webster gives a dinner at the Copley-Plaza on next Friday night. Miss Hood is a member of the 1918 Sewing Circle.

By KATHARINE ALDEN.

Mrs. Charles Barnet Bradley of New York, is prolonging her stay in Convent, N. J., during her husband's service with the Department of Naval Intelligence in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Bradley was formerly Miss Constance Zerrahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franz Zerrahn of No. 185 Marlborough street. Miss Elizabeth Zerrahn, a debutante of the season and member of the Vincent Club, is a sister.

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Mrs. Edwin C. Webster of Heath street, Chestnut Hill, entertains at dinner on Friday night, March 8, at the Copley Plaza, in honor of Miss Frances Hood, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Hood of No. 326 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill.

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The engagement comes from Newport, R. I., of Miss Helen Muenchinger to Howard Prince Stanley. Miss Muenchinger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Muenchinger of Newport, their year-round home. Mr. Stanley is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stanley of Oak street, Hyde Park and brother of Miss Kara Stanley, whose engagement to Captain Roger Wolcott Weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Weeks of Hyde Park, was announced in January. Miss Stanley is of the 1917 class of Wellesley College.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Watson of No. 65 Mt. Vernon street left last evening for a trip to Florida where they will stay until after Easter. Mr. and Mrs. Watson will make a visit at New Haven, Conn. They will also go to New York to visit their daughter, Miss Esther Watson, who is a student at Columbia University.

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An interesting engagement announced is that of Miss Marion Young of Arlington, Smith College, class of 1917, to Louis Hobart R. Cousins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart E. Cousins of No. 25 Draper avenue, Arlington. Mr. Cousins was a member of this year's graduating class of Dartmouth College. He left college to join the United States Naval Reserve Force and is now stationed in New London, Ct.

SOLDIERS CALL BRYAN GERMAN AT TORONTO

Toronto, Ont., March 1.—Shouting "What about the Lusitania?" "Get out you dirty German," "Sauerkraut," singing patriotic songs, stamping feet, shaking fists over the balcony rails and ringing bells, war veterans howled down William Jennings Bryan, who came to address a big prohibition mass meeting in Massey Hall.

One of the returned soldiers wore a gas mask and made himself conspicuous in the top gallery, waving his arms like a windmill when the soldiers sang "How dry I am."

Others carried the Union Jack and the Canadian ensign, which they waved as the national anthem and the "Maple Leaf Forever" were sung. Half a battalion of civil and military policemen were present prepared to put the disturbers out, but Bryan refused to give permission for this to be done.

He told H. K. G. Fleming, general manager of the Toronto Railway Company, who presided, that if the returned soldiers were ejected by force he would not speak. Mr. Fleming warned the soldiers if they did not subside they would be put out by force, but the visitor called a halt.

"Too many men are being injured on the battlefields of Europe," he exclaimed, "and I am now willing any one should be hurt in an effort to make it possible for me to speak."

"My patriotism is satisfactory to the President of the United States. It is satisfactory to the Cabinet of the Congress of the United States, living under our flag who dares to say there is one drop of blood in my veins that is not loyal to my country.

"I don't need endorsement of anybody anywhere else. There is no city in the Union where there is any danger of my being interrupted."

Mr. Bryan, when he saw his attempts to speak were futile, dictated his speech to the people of Canada through the press, representing 25,000,000 people in the United States who advocated prohibition of the liquor traffic. He declared he would rather forego his speech than have force used on any of his audience.

Bryan Wears Long Hair to Hide His Ears

Syracuse, N. Y., March 1.—Out upon the French, who claim to have discovered camouflage! It was invented by Mrs. William Jennings Bryan way back in 1852 to hide—oh, well, read Mr. Bryan's own explanation, given for the first time today, as to why he maintains the famous flowing locks of hair that tickle his collar.

"It's my wife's idea," he smiled. "The Lord made me for utility rather than for beauty. He gave me ears that stick out a good deal more than artistic standards require.

"I had my hair cropped away back in 1852, when I was engaged to my wife, and the result was terrible. I nearly lost her. She made me wear my hair long ever since. It is what I call justifiable camouflage."

Close's
CAMBRIDGE MASS.

PeanutButter Smacks

A war formula candy of extra good taste, wholesome, likable. Made from Honey — Peanut Butter Molasses — Corn Syrup

If unable to get it at any candy or drug store, please write us.

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Atkins' Hats will wear better, last longer and hold their shape better than any Hats made.

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Every newest Spring shade and shape in softs and stiffs.

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Store Open Until 5:15 P. M., Saturday
You can come here to shop after the matinee.

The Slender Silhouette for Spring Urges the Importance of New Corsets

Complete Spring Showing of
The New Models in Nine Well Known Makes of
CORSETS

Vogue	P-N.
Nulife	C-B a la Spirite
Bon Ton	Bien Jolie
Nemo	La Resista

W. B. Stylish Stout

Corset fitting is especially essential this spring to secure the fashionable silhouette. Our CORSET SHOP is well prepared to ensure your satisfaction, with saleswomen who are trained specialists in fitting. Their aim is not simply to sell a corset, but to sell you the service and comfort of the exact garment best suited to your individual needs.

P-N and C-B a la Spirite Corsets—Medium bust and hip; hose supporters $1.19

Bien Jolie Corsets—Low bust, tightly boned corset for extra stout figures; hose supporters, Tricot hip section; sizes 33 to 38 ..... $1.35

Vogue Corsets—Three distinct models, suited to slender and average figures; elastic top models for slender figures; in white and pink; average figure models in white coutil, all with hose supporters and non-rustable boning $2.65

New Satin and Lace Combinations in Bandeau Effects Feature the
New Spring Brassieres
Both front and back-fastening styles.

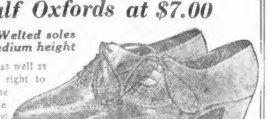
Bandeau Brassiere Bust Supporters—Hook front model, lace edges, in dainty pink colors; sizes 34 to 44, also small lot of lace and hamburg yoke effects 55c

Brassiere Bust Supporters—Made of mesh net cloth, with dress shields under arms; hook front models 50c

Leading Off in Popularity!
Sensible Styles in
Women's New Spring Footwear

New Brown Russia Calf Oxfords at $7.00

Wing tip—Welted soles
Heels of medium height



Smart looking as well as sensible. Just right to wear with the new sports hose. Our style, No. 706

$7.00

Other Brown Oxfords for Women—$5.50 and $6

New Brown Russia Calf Pumps at $8.00

Long forepart—Medium heel
Wing tip, stitched and perforated

Our Style, No. 774

$8.00

The same in black calf, $7.00

AT ONCE! STOPS STOMACH MISERY AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes sick, sour, gassy Stomachs feel fine.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into acids and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin helps neutralize the excessive acids in the stomach so your food won't sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is upset, you usually get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it helps to regulate your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. "Pape's Diapepsin" is positive in neutralizing the acidity, so the misery won't come back very quickly.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder due to acid fermentation.—Advertisement.

BABY HAD ECZEMA FOR 7 MONTHS

Cross and Had to Have Hands Tied. Cuticura Healed. Total Cost $1.25.

"After my baby was one month old he started to have eczema and he had it seven months. It was in pimples on his face, and they were watery. He was very cross and had to have his hands tied. The eruption was so itchy I had to rub him, and it kept me awake.

"I read about Cuticura, so I used one box of Cuticura Ointment with three cakes of Soap when he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Adelina Bellofatto, 87 E. Lincoln St., Marlboro, Mass., Sept. 17, 1917.

Most skin troubles might be prevented by using Cuticura Soap and Ointment for every-day toilet purposes.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address postcard: "Cuticura, Dept. H, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

SHOULD MAKE A MILLION FOR HIM

Cincinnati man discovers drug that loosens corns so they lift out.

Local druggists are having a tremendous call for freezone, the drug which is said to shrivel a corn, root and all, without any pain.

A few drops of freezone applied directly upon a tender, aching corn relieves the soreness at once, and shortly the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out with the fingers.

This new drug is being dispensed at small cost in quarter ounce bottles, which is sufficient to take off every hard or soft corn from one's feet. It is a sticky substance which dries at once, and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue or skin. There is no excuse for anyone inviting death by infection or lockjaw from cutting their corns now.—Advertisement.

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
MEN'S
Suits and Overcoats
Worth up to $25.00

$14.75

We have purchased the surplus stock from a prominent New York manufacturer at a tremendous price concession, which will be placed on sale for Friday and Saturday at a ridiculously low price.

A long story on the details of this sale is unnecessary—just inspect these suits and overcoats and you will be convinced of their value. Our agreement with the manufacturer will not permit us to mention the maker's name, but the quality will be readily recognized by the label on every garment.

Unlimited Assortment of Materials, Models and Patterns

This Is the Sale You Have Been Waiting for--A Sale That Affords BIG SAVINGS

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Liberty Theatres are conducted at all cantonments. Send your Soldier a Smileage Book.
Book of 20 Tickets, $1
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All the forces of intrigue concocted in Berlin and aimed at the United States are exposed in

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—*The Most Factful Expose of the Destructive Forces United Against This Country*
—*Every True American and Every School Boy and School Girl Should Read This Story In*

Sunday's Advertiser-American

POLES TO HOLD MASS MEETING IN WAR AID

Plans have been completed by prominent Polish residents of South Boston, for a mass meeting to be held Sunday evening in the Wonder [illegible] pal Building, East Broadway, under the auspices of the South Boston committee on war savings. Senator Edward G. Morris is chairman of the committee and is being assisted by [illegible] The Naval Re[illegible] will [illegible] event [illegible]

Piles Relieved in 6 to 14 Days
[illegible]

HENRY H. FAXON HEADS FRESHMEN AT HARVARD

Henry H. Faxon of Quincy won the election to the [illegible] of the freshman class at Harvard [illegible] in a [illegible]

Court Session Closes
[illegible]

8,000 BOYS TO FARM THIS SUMMER

Farmers' Labor Shortage in Mass[illegible]tts Solved — Boys to Be Well Paid
[illegible]

Perpetual War of Germs

In every human body there is continual strife between the forces of health and disease, while headaches, nervousness and frequent colds usually forerun sickness.

In changing seasons your system needs the oil-food in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

to increase the red corpuscles of the blood and create that resistive power which thwarts colds, tonsilitis, throat troubles and rheumatism.

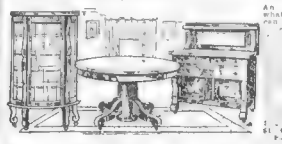
Scott's is high-powered medicinal-food, free from harmful drugs. One bottle *now* may prevent a sickness.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 17-41

One Dollar Cash Delivers Any Article!

Tomorrow night the greatest Dollar Sale in the history of this store comes to an end. To make it even more memorable there will be at "The House of Dignified Credit," for Friday and Saturday only, the most sensational bargains ever offered by any store. Come here before it's too late and select any article you wish and have same delivered to your home by paying only **One Dollar Cash** and the balance on dignified credit. No mail or telephone orders for any items in this advertisement. Remember—"It's Easy to Pay the Summerfield Way."

Three-Piece Quartered Oak Dining Suite . . $58.50



An example of what this store can do when it [illegible] $1 Cash Delivers Each Article.

$1.00 Cash Delivers This $35 Brass Bed
Specially Priced at **$17.85**

More Big Values From the Bankrupt Stock of the **Globe Upholstery Co.**

Manufacturers of High Grade Parlor Furniture
At Half Regular Prices

$90—5-Piece Tapestry Suite $44.50
$115—5-Piece Mahogany Cane Suite $57.50
$85—5-Piece Oak Suite $39.85
$75—5-Piece Fumed Oak Suite $33.50
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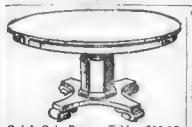
This 3-Piece Mahogany Tapestry Suite
Regular $115 value.
Special at **$58.50**

Values That Mean Big Savings—Better Come Early!

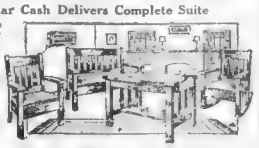
[illegible] Value $59.50
[illegible] $41.50
$110 [illegible] $74.50
$85 [illegible] $57.50
$150 [illegible] $102.50
$110 [illegible] $74.50
$75 [illegible] $51.50
Leather Chair . . $25.50
Hundreds of Others



Solid Oak Dining Table, $10.95
Massively designed and extra well constructed. Pedestal Base and octagonal pedestal.
$1 Cash Delivers It

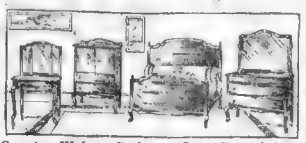
This Four-Piece Oak Suite, $24.50
One Dollar Cash Delivers Complete Suite

Stop and realize what this offer means a whole room full of furniture for what is ordinarily asked for the table alone. Made of solid oak in rich brown finish, with upholstered spring seats.



Dollar Sale Bargains in Rugs

9x12 Axminster $27.50
8.3x10.6 Axminster $24.50
9x12 Tapestry $18.95
9x12 Velvet $26.50
$1.00 Cash Delivers Any Rug to Your Home
HUNDREDS OF OTHER GOOD VALUES



Genuine Walnut Bedroom Suite Priced Low
One Dollar Cash Delivers Each Article

$50 Bed $27.50
$55 Chifforobe . . . $29.85
$35 Toilet Table . . . $24.50
$75 Dresser . . . $42.50

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GOOD WORK LAST YEAR
[illegible]

Don't lose sleep because of an itching skin
Resinol
will make it well

How can you expect to sleep [illegible] itching, burning skin eczema? Just smear a little Resinol Ointment on the affected parts. Relief comes instantly. Nothing better for [illegible] Resinol Soap helps.

SANFORDS GINGER
Comforts Stomach Bowels and Nerves

Purest and best of warming stomachics. Good for weak stomachs, tired nerves and aching muscles. Helps prevent colds, chills and grip. Always healthful and helpful.

When purchasing look for the Oval Trade Mark on the wrapper and you are sure it is the genuine Sanford's Ginger of known purity, flavor and strength. Sold by druggists and grocers.

Boston [illegible] Hub's P[illegible] Lynn [illegible]

Gather 'round, Men.

Cast your eye over these price reductions on

Overcoats

Take a good look because you won't see any such low prices quoted on such high-grade, heavy all-wool overcoats again for years to come.

But don't waste too much time thinking it over. A quick decision will bring you an overcoat bargain you'll have reason to brag about in future winters. But if you hesitate [illegible] opportunity will be gone forever. The money saving [illegible] coats such as these are going to be scarce as well as high [illegible]

Make no mistake about it.
There'll be $2 to your credit next winter for every dollar you put into an overcoat at this Mark-Down Sale

$15.00 Overcoats marked down to $12.50
$20.00 Overcoats marked down to $17.50
$22.50 Overcoats marked down to $19.50
$25.00 Overcoats marked down to $21.50
$27.50 Overcoats marked down to $23.50
$30.00 Overcoats marked down to $25.50
$35.00 Overcoats marked down to $29.50
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Suits at the same reductions

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M'CALL MESSAGE DENOUNCES "L" SERVICE; URGES FARE INCREASE

GOVERNOR WOULD GIVE COMPANY FINANCIAL AID FOR THE WAR AND A YEAR AFTER

Continued from First Page.

exactly similar to giving a sick man a stimulant to make him happy for a few minutes, rather than something to cure his disease. That, then, they will see to it that they get [illegible] has offered [illegible]

[illegible] means of bringing the road up to [illegible] to render efficient service as a common carrier [illegible]

DANGEROUS TO LIFE.

[illegible] believe that the public [illegible] transportation which [illegible]

[illegible] is a condition of things in the subway stations and upon the cars at certain hours of the day, to which human beings should not be subjected, and which is little if at all less than dangerous to life.

[illegible]

CONDITIONS CHANGED

[illegible] Commission senate and House of Representatives [illegible]

IMMEDIATE ACTION

[illegible]

FOLLOW RAILROAD BILL.

It is of course not possible to foretell how long the present [illegible]

[illegible] during the time proposed should warrant a decreased fare, it would be the duty of the Public Service Commission to [illegible]

[illegible]

(signed) S. W. McCALL.

McCALL'S OWN IDEA.

Governor McCall said later: "I sent in this message on my own initiative and kept it a secret from everybody. I have been thinking of it since the Elevated situation became acute last Monday night."

[illegible]

The contract was made in 1897 and would expire, unless broken by the Legislature at Governor McCall's suggestion, in 1923.

Elevated Issues Statement Explaining Delays in Service

Further evidence that the Boston Elevated is at last attempting to heed the Boston AMERICAN'S campaign for better service came today with a statement made by the company explaining service conditions on the road during the past twenty-four hours.

The company states that the number of cars available for service was increased, but more men were absent because of sickness than on the previous day. It also explains interruptions that the service was subjected to.

The statement follows:

"The service on the Boston Elevated during the past twenty-four hours was subject to a considerable number of interruptions due to the breaking down of teams, the blocking of the tracks by railroad trains, the opening of the Charlestown drawbridge and a fire in East Boston. The number of cars available for service was increased but the number of men who were unavailable on account of sickness or for other reasons was slightly greater than the day before.

"The most serious delay caused by the breaking down of a team occurred on Columbus avenue where the tracks was blocked for [illegible] broken truck.

"During the height of the theatre riding last evening a car on the Cambridge railroad crossings were blocked for seven minutes by a long, slow-moving freight train.

"The night car service was interrupted at about 2 o'clock for six minutes by the opening of the Charlestown drawbridge, followed immediately by an eight [illegible] square as a means of relieving the congestion.

Professor Swain asserted that the over-crowded Park street station should not be continued as the only terminals for the hundreds of thousands of suburbanites who come into the city every day.

PAYING PROPOSITION.

[illegible] vated," said Mr. Delano, "and don't let them bluff you that the subways and [illegible]

[illegible] Urge Extension of Dorchester Tunnel and Business District Loop

[illegible] forth between Maverick square and Bowdoin square to provide service in the East Boston tunnel [illegible]

[illegible] 16,000 PEOPLE TRICKED.

[illegible] Dr. A. Shuman forcible way of expressing how the 16,000 people of Dorchester had been "tricked" by the Elevated.

Atty. A. Sherman, a Boston lawyer [illegible] the service is a [illegible] that he was arrested [illegible]

[illegible] Thomas F. Swan, a member of the Boston Transit Commission, said that the commission favored the Boston street subway extension [illegible] Columbus avenue, Tremont street and South station [illegible] before reaching Postoffice [illegible]

Jordan Marsh Company

Notes Around the Store

Shop in the Morning

War time economy of material results in the slenderized contour which demands careful corset fit. For best results, both in health and appearance, let our skilled corsetieres choose the Correct Model for your figure.

* * *

These mild days invite the motorist and the camper. A hot lunch is assured the possessor of the handy little Sterno Canning Outfit. A very good style is priced 2.00.

* * *

A Smileage Book for 1.00, containing 20 admissions to a camp theatre, will make a fine gift for some soldier boy. You can get these books at the booth, near the glove counter, Street Floor, Main Building.

* * *

A silk-lined gray Mocha Glove at 2.25 is excellent weight for these days when it's a bit warm for muffs and a bit chill for the lighter kids.

* * *

Our Music Section will supply you with anything you may wish in sheet music, and there's a pianist to play the new pieces. The Steinert piano is the one used.

* * *

The ideal Blouse for wear with your mannish tailleur is a tailory model at 5.95 in handkerchief linen, with pink, blue or green checks, two big pearl buttons and pique collar. It will launder beautifully.

* * *

If you find it inconvenient to come or write for a wanted article, you can purchase by 'phone. We give meticulous care to this phase of merchandising.

* * *

Our Toy Store is not open merely 15 or 30 days in the year. It is open and busy 12 months in the year.

* * *

Mme. Coates' School of Sewing and Dressmaking comes at an opportune time, with the arrivals of the new dress goods. Classes begin Monday, March 4, and enrolment is at the Smallwares Counter, Street Floor, Main Store.

Our business for the month just closed was BY FAR the largest of any February in our history.

Jordan Marsh Company

20,000 BAY STATE WOMEN ARE EAGER TO ENLIST

Twenty thousand Bay State women [illegible]

These women, chiefly British subjects, and a great part of them wives, sisters and sweethearts of those who [illegible] for recruiting cam-

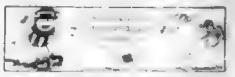
WILL BUILD A VESSEL EVERY THREE WEEKS

[illegible] vessel being built for the government by the Federal Shipping Com-

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

THE SOMETHING THAT WE GET FOR NOTHING IS USUALLY WORTH WHAT IT COSTS

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS



Now Official Larry Gardner Goes to Macks

Vermonter Passed Along With Walker and Cady in Completing Deal for Stuffy McInnis

By H. W. LANIGAN

Owner Harry Frazee of the Red Sox has finally completed the deal for Stuffy McInnis, and, exactly as was foretold by the AMERICAN, Larry Gardner and Tilly Walker have been turned over to Connie Mack.

Portrait Cady to the third player asserted to the Athletics' collection, Original Herb Pennock, the baby kid, was to have reported next year with Gardner and Walker, but as he is in the navy and thus could not be drafted by Frazee, Cady was agreed upon as the compromise.

Early last month the AMERICAN told the fans that Gardner and Walker were headed towards the House of Mack. This announcement met with a prompt denial from Frazee. Barrow, too, denied it.

Both claimed that Gardner would be retained, and hinted that Walker was not on duty in the Red Sox coming season he would probably be traded with the Yankees. They had in mind Maier Hugg, as was stated in the Tennessee boy and, as the New York skipper had an infielder they wanted. This would probably give a swap for the tangoan in question. However the deal for Maier was passed, the papers in the case were signed and sealed in New York yesterday.

Frazee is to be complimented for closing the Melanee deal. It has been hanging fire long enough. Not only did the fans want to learn what players were to go in exchange for Gloucester Jack, but doubtless Harrow and the players themselves were anxious to know just what was going to be what on the club before it hit out for the Hot Springs training camp.

As the New Record M. Innes Scott said [illegible] It is [illegible] the writer [illegible] left [illegible] of Hot Springs, and [illegible] of [illegible] to recognize [illegible] be [illegible] signed [illegible] long [illegible] the third [illegible] and [illegible] catching [illegible] of Sam Agnew and Walter Mayer. The outfield talent embraces Hooper and Strunk veterans and Shotton of the Pirates—he is reported in [illegible] of the draft and White Sox [illegible] Jones and Barry in front in New York and are not expected to report before next Monday.

JAMERSON CLOTHES SHOPS

BOSTON
Philadelphia, St. Louis, Cleveland, Kansas City, Cincinnati, Indianapolis

Flannel Topcoats $17 at the JAMERSON Clothes Shops

All the desired models in plain blue, green and brown; quarter lined with silk and silk-piped seams. Usually priced from $3 to $8 more.

The explanation is elimination of all unnecessary expense. There are no high, first-floor rents; no free deliveries, no credit accounts or bad debts; no reduction sales.

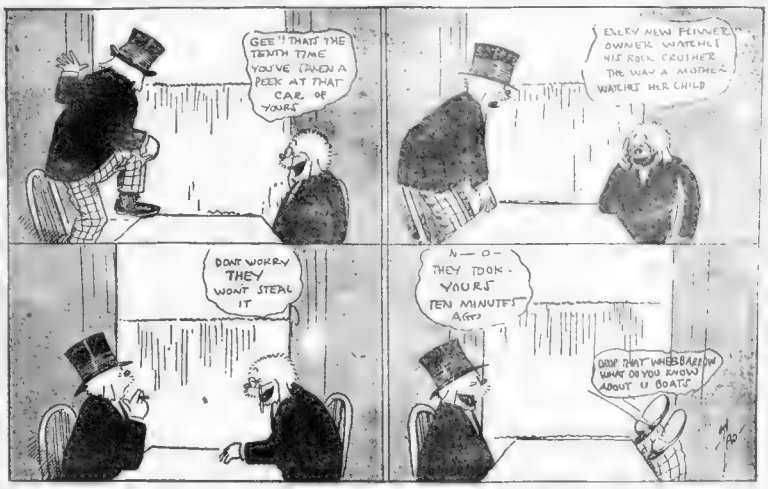
The result is usual

$25 and $20 Values
Dress Suits Overcoats & Suits
for
$17

Going Fast
Hudson Seal
FUR COLLARS $7.75
Usually Priced $10 and $12
Adjustable to Any Overcoat

JAMERSON CLOTHES SHOPS
"Of National Importance"
Dexter Building
453 Washington St. Third Floor
Take Elevator
Save $3 to $8
Open Saturday Evening Until 9

SILK-HAT HARRY — By TAD



All-Star Show On Display at C. A. C.

By RINGSIDE.

The matchmaker of the Commercial A. A. certainly built up a fine card for tonight's show with such performers as George Robinson, Ira Zeltzer, Frankie Brown, Paul Berrera, Pal Reed and Joe Demarco [illegible]

As these boys, with the exception of Zeltzer, have been seen here and are great favorites, as their style of mixing is pleasing to the fans.

George Robinson in the last start with the Bears showed what he can do when he sets to work, early by the way George says that's the way he aims to perform in the future. [illegible] and [illegible] having failed with the best middleweights in the country, is going the bigger way and will go through with the New Yorker.

[illegible] Paul Berrera, [illegible] Brown, [illegible] Frankie Brown, [illegible] could put that right [illegible] Billy Defant, [illegible] Pal Reed off to the Pat [illegible] Joe Demarco, [illegible] of the gaff, some slugging is sure to ensue.

Burt Jones and Young Chaney, [illegible] scrap, will have it out for the [illegible] Both [illegible] Jones [illegible] Chaney [illegible] Jones [illegible] Chaney [illegible] Jones [illegible] Chaney

For All Business Girls

A NEW series by Eleanor Gilbert begins here today. This series will be of great help to all women in business, and the hints of the secrets of those who rea... This paper will find in the articles many suggestions I real value to them.

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Magazine Page

This Day in Our History

THIS is the anniversary of the beginning of the first war against the Huguenots in France in 1562. Through various reigns the Huguenots grew in power until, under Louis XIV., they were driven into exile. Their going cost France incalculable loss.

DO YOU WANT A RAISE?

Employes Should Try an Experiment to See if Increase Is Deserved

By Eleanor Gilbert

(Author of "The Ambitious Woman in Business.")

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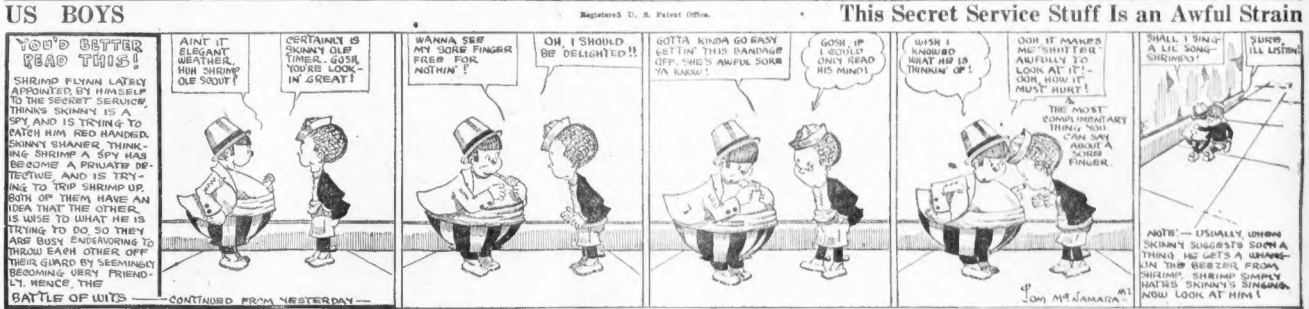

This Secret Service Stuff Is an Awful Strain

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Waiting for the Last Car Home

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75 IRISH GIRLS MARRY U. S. SAILORS

Mate of Pier Tar Writes That Bluejackets Win Easily

By PAUL WHELTON

Aboard the Receiving Ship, Commonwealth Pier, March 1.—Seventy-five more Miss Sheilas will sail from this fleet overseas who, when they left the shores of the United States were carefree bachelors will return each with a husband, a prospect from the Emerald Isle, hanging on his arm.

Such is the news contained in a letter written by a bachelor foreign service to his former shipmate, Seaman Jack H. Wood at present stationed aboard the receiving ship at Commonwealth Pier.

"There have been seventy-five or more desertions in the fleet since Seaman Hood left the submarine base to return to the States as a newspaper of the same. The new destroyers according to the facile hand of Cupid's official scribe, are filled with mates or deserters from the ranks of our bachelors.

"The wedding bells and the fun of the affair have been the talk of the town," said Seaman Hood, but it is not surprising when you consider that no less than nine loses wins and nine ares.

"When we first went ashore in Ireland," wrote Mr. Nair and Colonel A. S. Conklin. A large force of sergeants had charge of convoying us from church. I actually believe in Ireland they spend three-quarters of their lives in the house of worship. If we met a girl on the street she would drop her eyes and the crimson would rush into her face as she hurried on.

"'Tis your eyes, duckie' was their greeting the first they did speak to us and that was the greeting each American sailor used for his mate for some weeks after it had been 'sorting' on us for a sullen look now there have been more than seventy-five marriages over there.

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Tom Halpin, former B. A. A. runner, at present captain of the Navy Yard track team, has been transferred to the Communication Office, where he is to assume new duties.

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Johnny Lane, who has just been made a warrant officer, has reported for duty at the Navy Yard as pay clerk.

TO ERECT NEW BUILDINGS AT CAMP

Many Complaints Made of Inadequate Space at Devens

By William Flynn.

Camp Devens, Ayer, March 1.—Many more new buildings are soon to be erected to meet the contemplated growth of the cantonment before the end of June. Twelve new buildings are to be added to the base hospital, and the following buildings will be used as wards and are expected to increase its capacity: Seven buildings about one-third quarters for officers and other quarters for female help will also be erected.

Base Hospital Depot Brigade and in other parts of the cantonment are as second to none. Many of the work will probably be completed in time for the first of the second draft quotas arrive at the camp. Major General Wood is said to be the result of considerable made to officers of the since the cantonment and the various schools and camps of civilian duty at Camp Devens. Lieutenant Colonel A. S. Conklin, who has been appointed camp quartermaster, will be in charge of the construction work. Conklin has been appointed camp quartermaster.

A board of officers has been appointed which will meet at Brigadier General William Weigel, Brigadier-General Frank M. Nair and Colonel A. S. Conklin. A large force of carpenters has been at work and men are expected to arrive in camp within a few days.

One hundred and fifty new draftees from New York arrived in camp last night. They were not expected and the camp authorities were told of their coming until a short time before they arrived. Five of the draftees men became separated from the quota and were lost at Ayer Junction.

The men were met at the train by Lieutenant Frank Lemon and nine men of the Depot Brigade, who escorted them to the camp. Colonel Perry supplied the escort with horses, but the escort spent most of its time leading the horses and keeping out of their way.

The receiving officers have commented very favorably on the general condition of the men in the last quota of the first draft, particularly their teeth. Unlike the first drafted men received at the cantonment the new comers have most of their serious defects remedied.

HOW TIME CHANGES

FIRE SMOKE BOMBS AT DEVENS

Miss Mary Skerritt, Ayer Postoffice Belle, Latest War Bride

By William Flynn.

Camp Devens, Ayer, March 1.—Camouflage shells resembling smoke bombs and shells of the "Big Bertha" type, dug "Jack Johnsons" and the other deadly implements of grass, and officers in the artillery department, under Major Morrie Hadley, son of President Hadley of Yale University, conducted an attack on the new field and dugout practice.

The officers are stationed on a hill overlooking the field and through field glasses saw the artillery officers on the far side of the range. The shells are exploded on real ammunition and the men in Congress as a member of the Ways and Means Committee and while he was assistant secretary of the Treasury in charge of the administration of customs laws. He has promised to do his utmost to make Boston "free," and is very enthusiastic over the proposition.

TAKEN FROM EUROPE.

The free port idea is taken from European countries, which have established zones at the principal seaports in which goods can be re-exported without going through the customs. Merchants can also leave large consignments of goods in storage in these zones without bonding them. In this manner a merchant with a large shipment who has not the ready cash to pay his entire duties, could take his consignment out as he was able to pay on it.

This gives business men in a country where tariff laws are enforced the same advantages in regard to exports that are enjoyed by Free Trade England. The plan originated in Copenhagen and Hamburg, so that German and Swedish merchants could compete with their English rivals. It has since been successfully tried in other countries.

WOULD HELP BUSINESS.

Investigator Greer, in conference with John S. Lawrence, John H. Connor, F. A. Goodhue of the Foreign Trade Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, found strong champions of "free" Boston. The committee has voted to recommend the passage of the bill to the directors of the chamber.

Professor Paul T. Cherington of the Port Development Committee also urged the national investigator to have the system favorably presented to Congress. It would, he claims, be one of the greatest possible aids in the development of foreign business and other developments for this port.

BUSINESS MEN FAVOR 'FREE PORT'

Tariff Expert Charles D. Greer Urges Trade Help for Boston

Unqualified approval on the part of business men and tariff experts of making Boston a "free" port has been expressed to Charles D. Greer, special expert of the United States Tariff Commission, who is here at present on a tour of investigation.

A bill has been filed with Congress, with the approval of the Tariff Committee, which provides that free ports and free zones may be established. Such a piece of ground to be taken out of the port barrel class, as the bill also provides for local maintenance of the zone system.

Mr. Greer has conferred with Mayor Peters and the Foreign Trade committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The Mayor has urged passage of such a measure while he was

SIX SEEK THREE OFFICES AS WINTHROP SELECTMEN

Six candidates will contest for three places in the Board of Selectmen at the Winthrop town election Monday. The present members, Joshua Remby, Winthrop Magee and James Carr, have as opponents Timothy J. Mahaney, Benjamin Piper and Edgar H. Whitney. Another contest is for Cemetery Commissioner between the present incumbent, Edward Belcher, and William S. Skaggs.

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MRS. E. T. STOESBURY,

whose appeal for tobacco fund for navy lads, brought a deluge of contributions at Palm Beach.

Mrs. Stotesbury Wins $20,000 for Sailors

Palm Beach, Fla., March 1.—At a benefit for the Sun tobacco fund a collection of $10,000 was taken up for the soldiers.

Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury, chairman of the department of recreation and comforts of the Woman's Naval Service, asked that the boys of the navy be not forgotten, whereupon a collection of $20,000 was taken up for the navy.

Colonel W. B. Thompson gave a diamond watch bracelet to be auctioned. It brought $3,500.

MISS QUOLD CHOSEN HEAD OF CHELSEA GIRLS' CLUB

The Yankee Girls, a club of prominent Chelsea young ladies, held their annual meeting at the home of Miss Gladys Arnold, No. 47 Washington avenue, Chelsea, and elected these officers:

President, Miss Frances Gould; vice-president, Miss Catherine Hangs; secretary, Miss Gladys Arnold; treasurer, Miss Hazel Kirk; music and social committee, Miss Mabel Linnehan; collector, Miss Bessie Thomas. After the meeting there were many vocal and musical selections and refreshments were served.

BRITISH MAN POWER REACHED IN SUMMER

New York, March 1.—Another 750,000 soldiers will mark the limit of Britain's man power, according to a statement made by Sir John Foster Fraser, chairman of the British National War Lecture Committee, in an address at the Lotus Club.

"If all our industries are to be maintained," said Sir John, "we cannot raise more than another 750,000 men. This will bring us to the top notch of our man power and we will be reaching it this Summer."

FRENCH WOUNDED FUND ASK FOR HANDKERCHIEFS

The New England branch of the American Fund for French Wounded, with headquarters at No. 304 Boylston streets, has received an urgent appeal for handkerchiefs. It is said that the Poilu who comes into a hospital with a handkerchief is unknown, and so a request is made for large strong handkerchiefs "that can be washed, and washed and washed." Any color is acceptable.

GALLI-CURCI IS A PLEASING ROSINA

As Encores Sings "Home, Sweet Home" and "Last Rose of Summer"

Mme. Galli-Curci delighted a large audience at the Boston Opera House last evening with her performance of Rosina in the "Barber of Seville," by Rossini in the "Barber of Seville," by singer appears at her happiest.

She was given a warm, welcome and thunderous applause greeted her encores when, after rendering the "Bell" song from Delibes' "Lakme," she seated herself at the harpsichord and, playing her own accompaniment, sang "Home Sweet Home," with a caressing tenderness of voice, and added with equal expressiveness "The Last Rose of Summer."

By nature an actress, the celebrated soprano yields to her now remarkable facility and fine taste in the music of the opera an impersonation of exquisite lightness of fancy, of instinctive grace, of a delicious sense of humor, all of that delicate air which might pass for improvisation.

In the role of Figaro, Mr. Rimini became a singer of sensibility, of intelligence, of perception in emission as in style. His air of the factotum Figaro was vocally varied, selective, interpretative of text.

Mr. Trevisan was an admirable buffo, tossing off his patter jokily, but unerringly, with a fine sense of proportion and a rich voice. Old wine, refreshing, spontaneous, free from the touch of buffoonery, for most out of keeping, have brought Bartolo a subject for travesty, and have mistaken extravagance for wit.

Ex-Newspaper Owner Dead.

New York, March 1.—After an illness of several months Henry L. Einstein, until 1912 owner of the New York Press, died here.

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Editorial

The heavy sentence in Camp Upton Private John Sanjean by the military court martial at Camp Devens should prove a powerful lesson to the drafted men just inducted into the service from New England and should make them realize that discipline is the outstanding feature of this army of ours, that obedience to orders is bound to be exacted from every man under the colors, and if he disobeys he must pay the penalty.

Private Sanjeans' flagrant violation of the army rules and regulations is an extreme case, one of a very few that dot the record of the 76th Division, but one that the new draftees may well take to heart.

The army is not a prison. The men are treated with kindness and consideration and as long as they do as they are told they have nothing to fear. Minor offences are treated as minor offences, but the constituted authorities have the power to mete out punishment severe enough to meet any violation of the military code.

Let us hope the Sanjean case will be the last of its kind at Devens.

Among the Boys at Camp Devens

Private William Leonard, Company, Ninety-first Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., who has been under confinement for some time, has been paroled for good conduct.

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Five companies of "Boston's Own" are now in quarantine as well as the supply company of the 302d, which has been out only ten days.

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Three moving picture machines have been received by the Knights of Columbus from their Washington headquarters for each of their buildings. At least one show a week will be given with real "thrillers" for pictures.

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Chairman Hall of the Worcester draft board has secured the services of the 301st Ammunition Train Band for next Tuesday's parade of draft men. The band is composed of thirty-seven Worcester men.

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There are a number of cases of father and son serving in the military outfits at the camp. The latest is that of Ivard Thorreault and his son, Joseph D., both Taunton carpenters. Joseph is in Company F, 302d Infantry, while his father is in the 35th Engineers. Officers are trying to get both in the same company.

SPEED UP PACKAGES TO U. S. SOLDIERS OVERSEAS

Washington, March 1.—The War Trade Board has cleared the way for shipment of small packages to American soldiers and sailors and Red Cross workers abroad. A special license issued through the postoffice service and the postoffice department does away with the necessity of securing an individual export license.

SAYS ACID STOMACH CAUSES INDIGESTION

Excess of hydrochloric acid sours the food and forms gases.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather, ferments the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyper-acidity, meaning there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach much like garbage sours in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest, we belch up gas, we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and after, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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WALK ERECT AT EIGHTY

Because a man or woman is old does not mean that they must walk stooping over and supported with a cane. A man can walk erect and healthy at eighty as at twenty if he aids the organs of the body in performing their functions.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading New York stocks to-day:

	Yesterday's			
	Close.	High.	Low.	12:00
Allis-Chalmers	32	32	31½	31½
Am. Beet Sugar	82	85½	80½	80½
Am. Can	40½	41	39¾	39¾
Am. Car & Fdy	87	87½	86½	86½
Am. Locomotive	67¼	67¾	66¼	66¾
Am. Smelting	92	92½	91¼	91¼
Am. Sumatra	82½	83½	82½	82½
Am. Tel.	97½	97½	97½	97½
Anaconda	32½	33½	32½	32½
Atchison	112	112	111½	111½
Baldwin Loco.	77	77½	76½	76½
Balt. & Ohio	77½	77½	77	77
Beth. Steel pf. B.	100	100	100	100
Brooklyn Transit	89	89	88½	88½
Chandler Motor	90½	90½	90½	90½
Chic. & St. Paul	40½	41¼	40½	40½
Chino	46½	46½	46½	46½
Col. Fuel	39½	39½	39½	39½
Columbia Gas	53½	53½	53½	53½
Con. Products	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Crucible Steel	65½	65½	65½	65½
Cuba Cane Sugar	32¾	33	32¾	32¾
Cuba Sugar	28½	28½	28½	28½
Erie	13½	13½	13½	13½
Erie 1st Motors	13½	13½	13½	13½
General Motors	110	110	110	110
Gt. Northern Ore Subscription	45¾	46	45¾	45¾
Goodrich	46½	46½	46½	46½
Inspiration	45¾	46	45¾	45¾
Kennecott	32½	32½	32½	32½
Lack. Steel	69½	69½	69½	69½
Lehigh Valley	59½	59½	59½	59½
Mer. Marine	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Mer. Marine pf.	98	98	98	98
Mex. Petrol.	98	98½	98	98
Midvale Steel	45	45	45	45
Mo. Pac.	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Nat. Enamel	75½	75½	75½	75½
N. Y. Air Brake	135½	135½	130½	130½
N. Y. Central	70½	70½	70½	70½
Nor. & Western	104	104	104	104
No. Pacific	83½	83½	83½	83½
Ohio Gas	30½	30½	30½	30½
Penn. Rr.	43½	43½	43½	43½
Pitts. Coal	58½	57½	57½	57½
Pressed Steel	57½	57½	57½	57½
Ry. Steel Spring	54	54	54	54
Ray Cons.	19½	19½	19½	19½
Reading	77½	77½	77½	77½
Rep. I. & Steel	57½	57½	57½	57½
Sinclair Oil	31½	31½	31½	31½
Southern Pacific	84½	84½	84½	84½
So. Railway	24½	24½	24½	24½
Studebaker	54½	54½	54½	54½
Texas Co.	51½	51½	51½	51½
Union Pacific	122½	122½	122½	122½
U. S. Rubber	72½	72½	72½	72½
U. S. Steel	102½	102½	102½	102½
U. S. Steel pf.	122½	122½	122½	122½
Utah Copper	82½	82½	82½	82½
West. Union	90½	90½	90½	90½
Westinghouse	46½	46½	46½	46½
Willys-Overland	18½	19	18½	18½

*Ex-dividend.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading Boston stocks to 12 o'clock:

	Yesterday's			
	Close.	High.	Low.	12:00
Am. T. & T.	107½	107½	107½	107½
Am. Woolen pf.	93¾	94	93¾	94
Boston El.	43	43	43	43
Boston & Maine	22¾	23	22¾	23
Davis-Daly	1	1	1	1
Dominion Coal	3	3	3	3
E. Boston	5	5	5	5
Fairbanks	50	50	50	50
Mass. Elec. pf.	12	12	12	12
Mass. Gas pf.	48	48	48	48
Pond Creek	20	20½	20	20½
Shannon	3	3	3	3
Sup. & Boston	8	8	8	8
Utility	1	1	1	1
Utah Apex	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Utah Consolidated	7	7	7	7
U. S. Smelt.	46½	46½	46½	46½
U. S. Smelt. pf.	44	44	44	44
Wolverine	35½	35½	34	34

WOMAN ASKS $25,000; GETS VERDICT OF $25

Thrown to the ground by a defective step alighting from a train, Miss Elizabeth Selbert, this city, was given a verdict of $25 when she sued the Boston & Maine Railroad for $25,000. The accident happened in June, 1914, at Weston.

ENTERTAINMENT NETS $402 FOR NAVY RELIEF

Newport, R. I., March 1.—Mrs. Charles M. Thomas, president of the Rhode Island Auxiliary of the Navy Relief Society, has received through Captain Henry F. Bryan, U. S. N., Commandant of the Second Naval District, a check for $402, as a result of the entertainment given by the officers and men of the Nantucket Section of the Naval Reserve Force.

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Dealers Take No Chances in Getting New Models Here on Time

By C. F. DONNOCKER

The congestion which has existed on all railroads for the past few months has not materially interfered with the enterprising local automobile dealers, who early made up their minds that nothing should prevent them from showing the public the very latest ideas in motor car construction and design.

Realizing full well that it was impossible to depend on freight or even express shipments, the dealers sent their salesmen to the various factories to drive the entire line of models over the roads for the big show which opens tomorrow.

Despite weather conditions and almost impassable roads more than a score of local salesmen arrived yesterday from Detroit and other western points after a trip of over 1,000 miles, clearly demonstrating the efficiency of the automobile for any kind of roads. Most of the models driven here were "show" cars, many of which had only been completed last week and the dealers were taking no chances of not having them here in time.

RECORD SHOW EXPECTED.

The factory representatives are beginning to arrive and by tomorrow night almost every hotel in the city will be crowded. The show this year will be bigger than ever, judging from the number of dealers in cars, accessories and trucks who are scheduled to be here.

Chester I. Campbell estimates that there will be 50,000 visitors to the show from points beyond Greater Boston. The veteran show manager has been deluged with telegrams for reservations and says that he is finding difficulty in securing accommodations.

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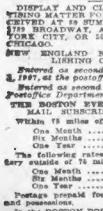

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MILLMONT ST., 15—Light housekeeping rooms, also 1st. floor, steam heat, $3 a week.

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COLUMBUS AV., 806—Hot water heated square and alcove rooms; privilege preparing light meals; first-class people only. Telephone.

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Everyone Willing to Labor Should Receive a Living Wage

More than two thousand years ago the Jews recognized the obligation of Society under the great Jehovah to see that everyone willing to labor should receive a living wage. That the "laborer is worthy of his hire" is a maxim as ancient as civilization itself. Frederick the Great, the founder of the military power of Prussia, recognized it and made it a part of the Prussian law. He contended that it had ALWAYS been a recognized duty of the Prussian Society, and that he himself was only attempting to make it effective.

Society can take a man or a woman and commit an assault and battery upon them by vaccinating them against their will. Society can take a man, or a woman either, and expose them to death in battle. Even if there were no higher law, the law of a fair exchange requires Society to provide that its individuals shall have a living wage. Throughout the world this obligation is being more and more recognized and a living wage is very generally being required by law. Massachusetts timidly, diffidently, cautiously made a beginning in this direction by establishing a Minimum Wage Commission. But from the moment it was established those who are profiting by labor which is underpaid, and is not receiving the living wage decency and morality require, have been attempting to destroy the effect of the law by controlling its administration through the control of the Minimum Wage Commission. In the course of this conspiracy they have succeeded in using the Governor's Council, which, under their control, has refused to confirm Professor Ripley, whom the Governor nominated to the commission, because Professor Ripley is an intelligent, fearless man who recognizes the virtue of the law and its effect upon Society.

The faithful and valued political editor of the AMERICAN, Mr. John T. Lambert, spends most of his time during the legislative session at the State House, where his experience and ability and nearness to the scene of action enable him to observe the inside workings of the invisible government. Mr. Lambert writes to the editor of the AMERICAN the following interesting note. The citizens of Massachusetts ought to read it. It concerns their government most intimately. Mr. Lambert says:

To the Editor:

After long, hard fights—in the case of the Workmen's Compensation Act lasting more than a generation—the State enacted certain laws to secure justice for injured workmen, to protect working men and women from exploitation and to establish safeguards for their health. And it created agencies like the Industrial Accident Board and the State Board of Labor and Industries with power to enforce these laws.

The manufacturers and employers, by and large, withdrew their opposition and then co-operated with the newly established State agencies to carry out the will of the people, as expressed by the Legislature.

The State then established the minimum wage law, to secure a living wage for the women and girls in the industries, and created the Minimum Wage Commission to enforce that law.

But in this case, a group of manufacturers, banded together in an organization known as the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association of Massachusetts, has adopted every possible means to break down the law. Henry Sterling, representing organized labor, says they adopted every "vicious" means.

They opposed the confirmation of Governor Walsh's nomination of Earnest E. Smith to the Minimum Wage Commission because Mr. Smith was in sympathy with the law.

They opposed the confirmation of Governor McCall's appointment of Professor William Z. Ripley of Harvard for the same reason.

This year they presented a bill to the Legislature to repeal the law.

They sought to cripple the enforcement of the law by urging the Ways and Means Committee to withhold the appropriation for maintenance of the commission.

They introduced a bill to extend the minimum wage law to males, evidently in the hope that the wage law would be attacked by that wing of organized labor which believes that the minimum might become the maximum wage.

Mr. Sterling asserts that in cases where the commission contemplated the establishment of the minimum wage in new industries, the association representatives went into the industries and encouraged the employers not to appoint representatives to the wage boards.

I am informed privately that the association recently assembled the superintendents of 100 big office buildings and advised them not to nominate representatives to the wage board which was being formed to secure a minimum wage for scrubwomen.

A hearing has been held by the legislative Committee on Administration and Commissions on the bill to repeal the minimum wage law.

Frank W. Whicher, who is president of the Massachusetts Board of Trade, but who appeared in his personal capacity as an employer, said they did not object, in fact they favored a national minimum wage law, but were opposed to the law in this State because it threw an unfair burden upon Massachusetts "business interests."

Mrs. Florence Kelley of the National Consumers' League, introduced to the committee as "the lady who knows more about the minimum wage than any other person in the United States," advised the committee to beware of that sort of talk.

"This association," she said, "is an integral part of the National Manufacturers' Association, the organization which furnished the funds to break down the minimum wage law of Oregon and which is fighting the child labor law at Washington."

CONTINUED IN LAST TWO COLUMNS.

Holding the Stage By T. E. Powers

Allies

KNITTOPHOBIA NEWEST WAR DISEASE OF DAY

By Winifred Black

THERE'S a new disease, "Knittophobia"—that's the name they are calling it just now.

It's brought on by too much knitting, the doctors say, and it has something to do with the nerve centres.

If you get it, you knit day and night and want to stop and can't, and wish you'd never heard of a knitting needle, and go right on just the same. And your fingers ache, and your elbows creak and your wrists are lame and you're cross and snappish and nervous, and you can't sleep, and you don't eat as you should. And your family worries, and they get the doctor, and he says you're down with a bad case of knittophobia.

Just a Symptom

The cure? Oh, it's a good deal easier to discover a new disease than it is to find a cure for it, but somehow, do you know, I don't believe the doctors are precisely right—this time. I think they've mistaken a symptom for a disease.

Knittophobia is just the same as danceophobia and cardophobia, and golfophobia and fudgeophobia and reformophobia, and all the rest of the 'phobias that have been attacking this dreary world here in America ever since we began to get rich enough to have breakfast at 9 o'clock and dinner at half-past 7 and not care whether the cook approved of it or not.

The knitting is just a symptom—the disease is deep-seated.

I know a man with golfophobia. He plays golf when he ought to be at work. He plays golf when he ought to be at home. He plays golf when he ought to be paying his tailor. He plays golf when he ought to be sitting somewhere wondering what's the matter with him. He eats golf, drinks golf, sleeps golf, breathes golf, thinks golf. I don't think he has any particular golf disease. I think he's just mentally unbalanced, and he's happened to light on golf as his symptom.

The danceiac—I've known him, and her, too, by the hundreds. Haven't you? They can't think of a thing but new dance steps and different dips and slides. Nations may decay, empires may rise and fall, rents may come down, food may go up, parents may die, sisters may run away, brothers may commit suicide — they should worry! What they want is a new dance step, and plenty of music to dance to it by.

Don't Be Confused

The cardiac—no, I don't mean anything related to the heart. Far from it! I mean the bridge fiend. Haven't you seen them for years, playing cards in the Grand Canyon of Colorado, stopping the machine at the top of the highest peak of the Yosemite to have a quiet game, sitting up till four in the morning to follow their partner's lead?

The reformiac—he, too, and his wife, we have always with us. They want to reform things, to tear things up, to turn things upside down.

What things? Oh, anything at all, just so they can call meetings and write papers and make addresses.

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CARELESSLY SCATTERED PHRASES HURT

By Elizabeth Jordan

THE luncheon was a very pleasant affair. The table was charmingly decorated, the food was good, the service was excellent. The guests were finding one another interesting and congenial.

The face of the hostess was beamingly content. Everything was going well. She had given much thought to the seating of her guests. The result showed her wisdom.

Two of her friends, she had remembered, were a little "heavy." They were fine women, but they would not contribute to the gayety of the occasion. She had solved the problem by seating her most brilliant guest at the foot of the table, with one of the "heavies" at her right, and the other at her left.

Of Much Experience

The hostess smiled at her own acumen. Even as she looked down the length of the table the brilliant guest uttered a sally which caused a whirl of laughter around her. The two "heavies" laughed as heartily as the rest.

The hostess was a woman of much social experience, but with an appalling lack of tact. She leaned forward and called down the length of the table to the brilliant guest:

"Miss Blank!" she cried gaily.

The brilliant guest met her eyes and waited expectantly. Everyone else, naturally, ceased to speak. The hostess had something to say.

"Oh, Miss Blank," gushed the hostess, "I put you at the foot of the table to hold up that end. And you're doing it—*you're doing it!*"

The remark was so appallingly tactless that an instant of horrible silence followed. Every woman at the table was aghast. The faces of the two "heavies" flamed scarlet. They understood. The women seated next to them were equally unhappy. Perhaps they, too, were being "held up."

A Life-Saver

The silence was broken by the cheerful voice of the most brilliant guest.

"I'm being held so high myself," she laughed, "that if my fellow guests drop me I shall have a dreadful jolt."

Someone came to her aid with another gay remark. The next moment everyone was talking. The incident was over for all except the agonized hostess. She realized too late what she had done.

That hostess was one of the kindest-hearted women alive. Not for worlds would she hurt anybody's feelings.

Her one desire in that hour was to have her luncheon go well. Her guests knew this. Yet she had destroyed its success and left permanent bitterness in the hearts of two friends by one blundering remark. It is safe to assume that neither of those friends ever willingly sat at her table again.

The brilliant guest, who had tact and quick wit, had saved the situation so far as she could. She had taken the remark of the hostess as a joke. She had paid a pretty compliment to her fellow guests. But not even she could save it wholly.

For weeks afterward, the various guests discussed that episode whenever they met.

Workmen and Living Wage

CONTINUED FROM FIRST COLUMN.

They carried the Oregon case to the Supreme Court, and lost.

Mrs. Kelley asserted that if they were sincere they would not oppose the adoption of the law in any other State, for the reason that a national minimum wage law could be more easily secured if it were adopted by a majority of the States. She said they have not inaugurated any movement at Washington for a national minimum wage.

Mrs. Kelley also refuted their statement that "women are taking no interest in the law." She said that better minimum wage laws have been secured in the States where women have the right to vote. She predicted, with some confidence, that New York State will have a minimum wage law before the year is over.

Attorney Joseph Bearak, prominent in the Socialist party, then disclosed a letter in which the executive committee of the Massachusetts Association admitted that they had contributed "with pleasure" to the fund to break down the Oregon law.

As you are familiar with the arguments for the living wage for women and girls, I will not repeat them.